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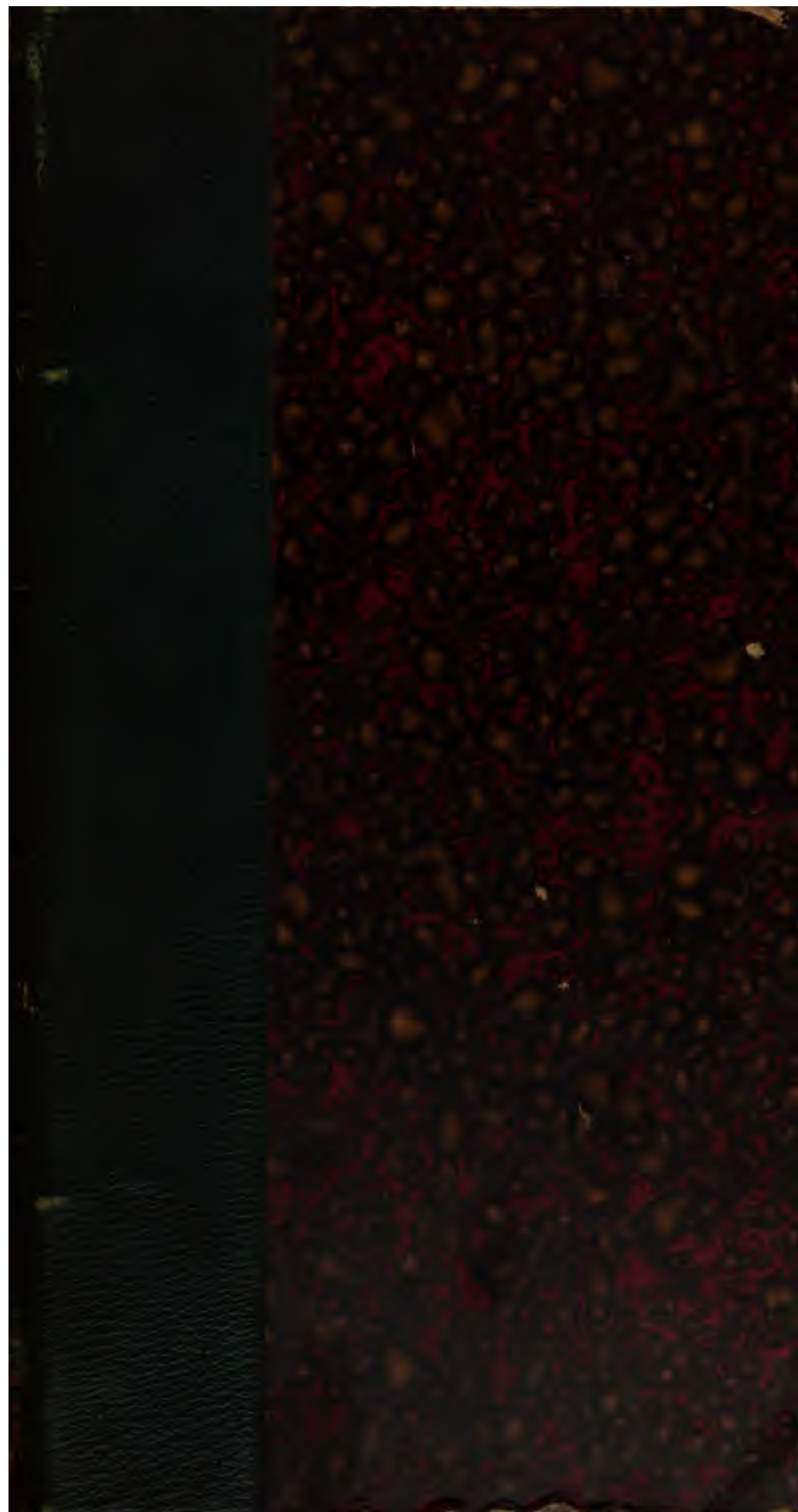
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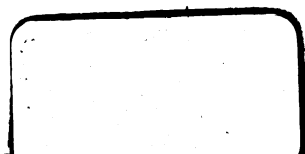




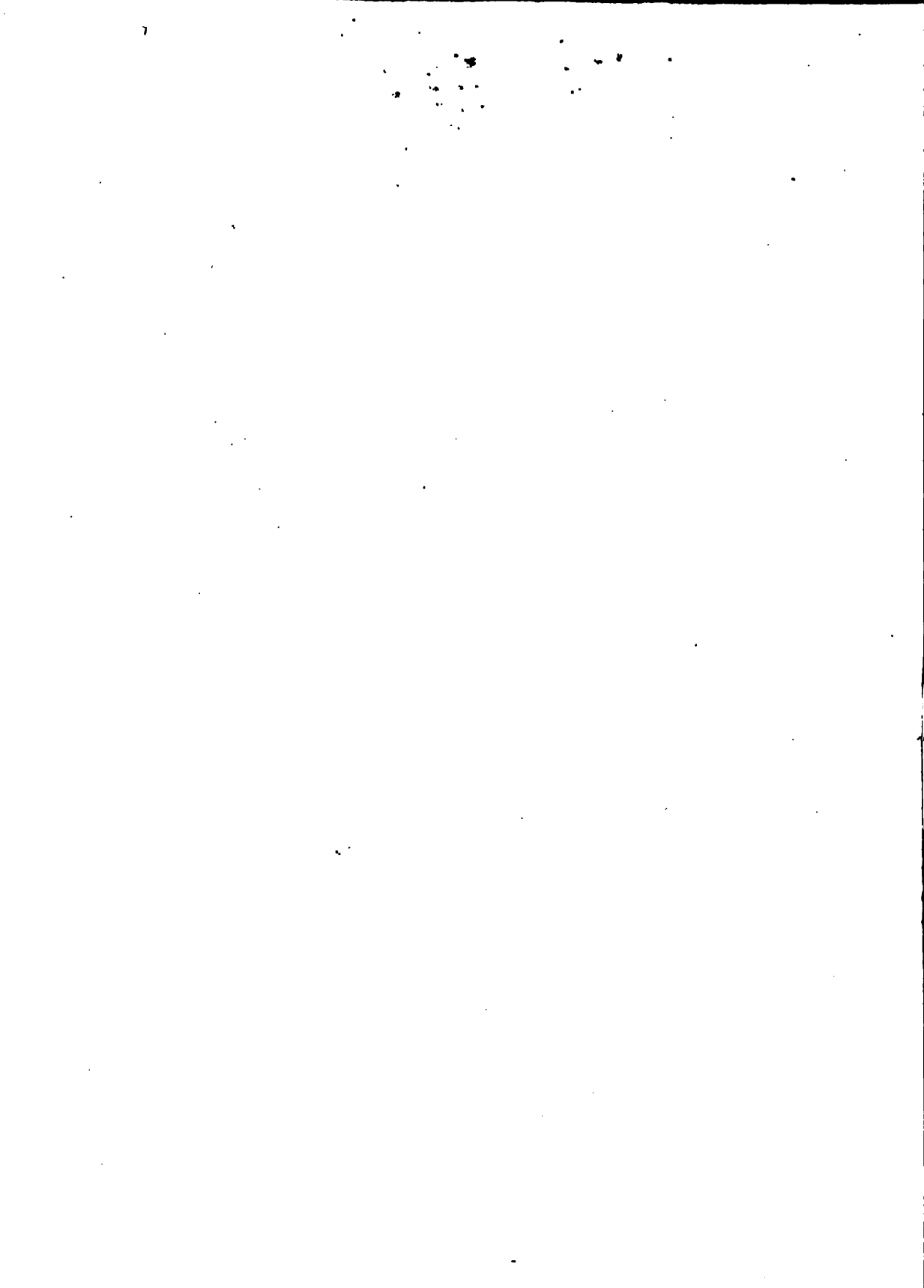
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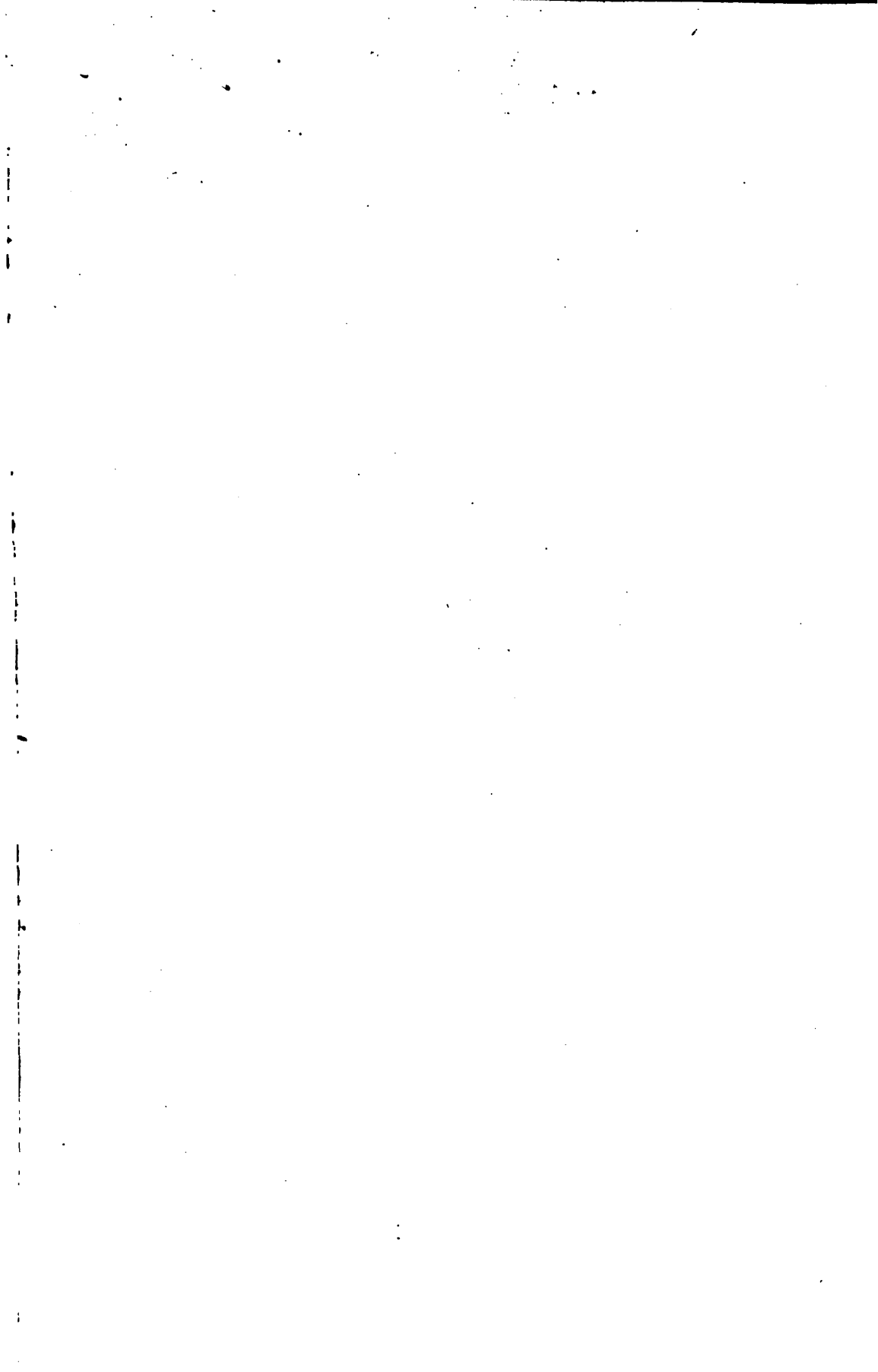
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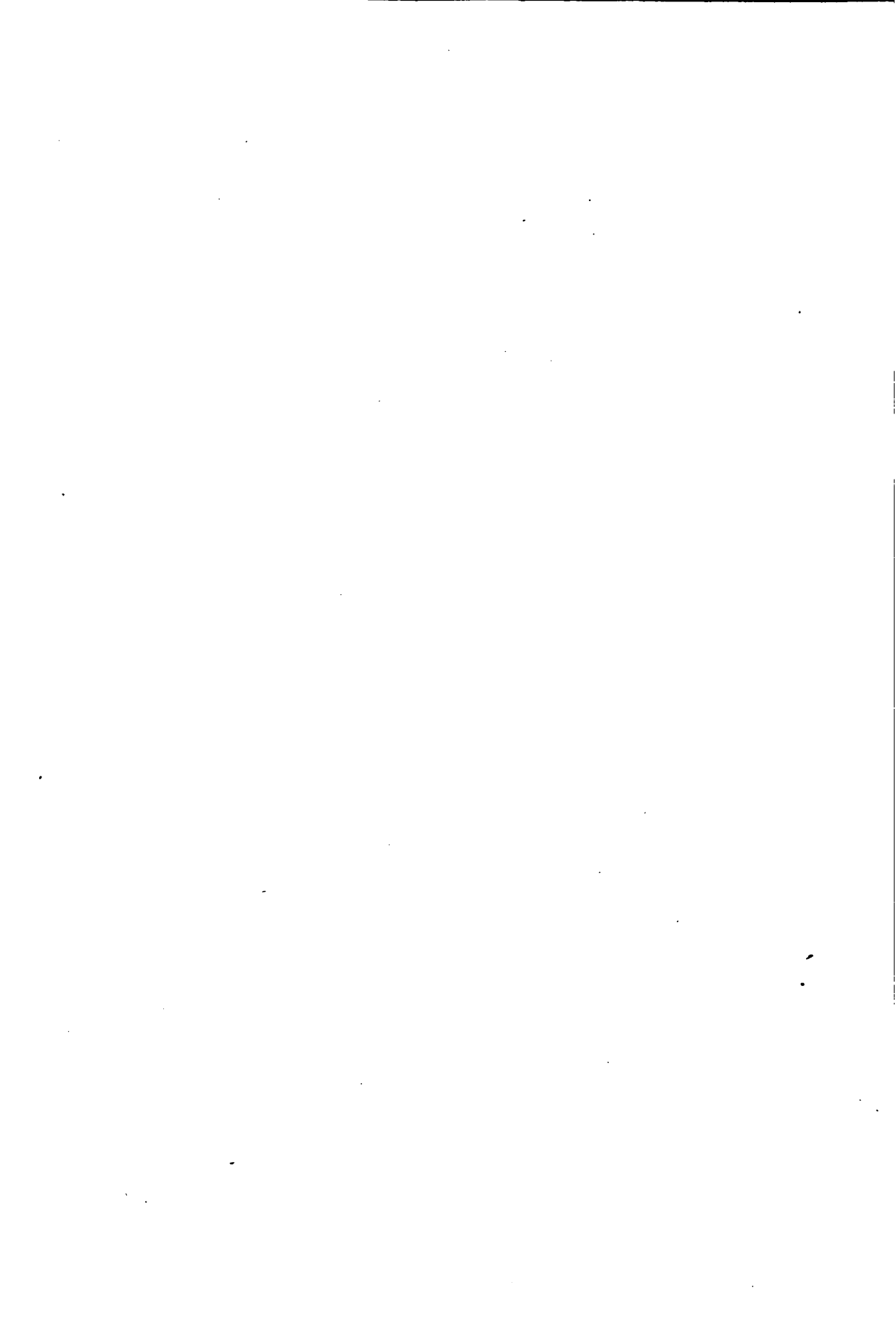
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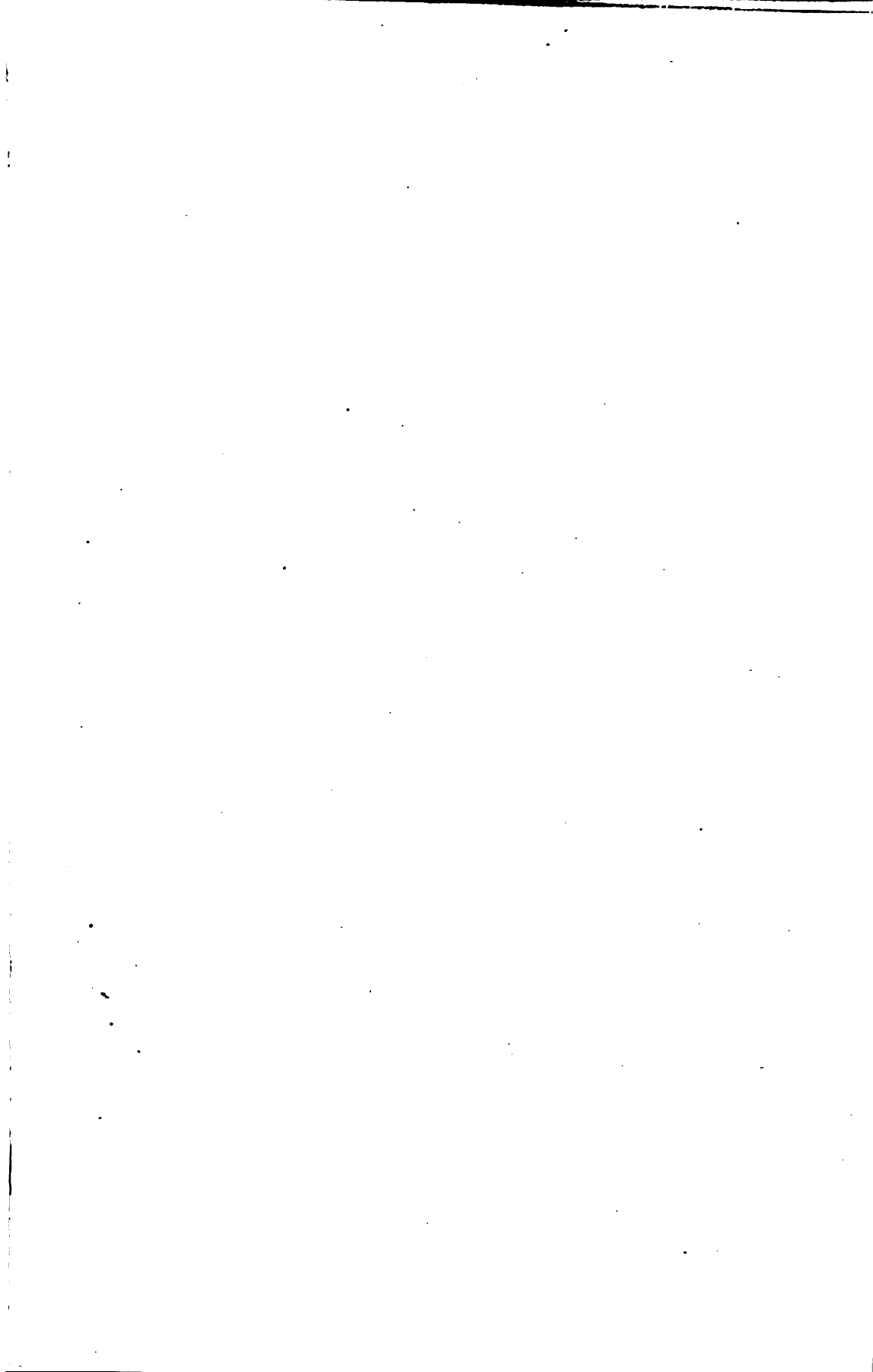












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ERRATA, &c.

The formidable list of errata presented, should, in itself, be amply mortifying to the editor, but he has additionally to deplore numerous other instances occasioned by the random use of the type, which, in the inexperience of the printers, it seemed impossible for him to prevent or rectify. It was a sufficient task for him to attempt the correction of such errors as palpably affected the meaning of the text :

Title page. For "Corresponding Member of the Numismatic and Antiquarian Society of Penn.," read "Philadelphia."

Page V, line 33. For "illusions," read "allusions."

Page VII, line 19. For "Butter" read "Butler."

Page IX, line 22. For "definitly" read "definitely."

Page XI, line 3. For "Geo. Gooch," read "Gov. Gooch."

Page XII, line 1 of second foot note. For "North and South," read "East and West."

Page XIV, line 15. For "professing," read "proposing"—Foot note. For "repairrs," read "repairs."

Page XI, line 22. Insert a comma after "had been denied."

Page 7, line 13. For "Eocke," read "Cocke."

Page 8, line 20. For "Et." read "Ct."

Page 9, line 20. For "Eocke" read "Cocke."

Page 10, line 23. For "Elerk" read "Clerk"—line 35. For "Hutchias Barton," read "Hutchkins Burton."

Page 14, line 27. For "Barton," read "Burton."

Page 18, line 13. For "Barton," read "Burton."

Page 20, line 20. For "Asiembly," read "Assembly;" line 29. For "Hocketts," read "Rocketts."

Page 29, line 30. For "Charlet," read "Charles;" line 31. For "Morrin," read "Marrin."

Page 30, line 6. Though the name "Boo" is here rendered as in the original, it is evidently a misspelling of "Bowe;" line 12. For "Bohannah," read "Bohannan."

Page 32, line 22. For "Whit-cock," read "White-oak."

Page 33, line 5. For "nare" rendered as in the original, read "never;" line 19. "Passons" as in the original, read "Parsons."

Page 39, line 30. For "Whitloc," read "Whitloe."

Page 44, line 32. The word "Recockals" rendered as in the original, "unintelligible."

Page 52, line 7. For "finsh," read "finish."

Page 53, line 10. Between & — Omissions as in the original: "Sheels" rendered as in the original, but palpably it should be "Shields."

ERRATA, &C.

- Page 57, line 21. For 1830, read 1740.
- Page 58, line 1 and 2. The proper names "Bollew" and "Ballew" are evidently variations from the correct "Ballou"—which orthography still obtains in this section.
- Page 67, line 32. For "Cocce," read "Cocke."
- Page 76, line 30. For "Cutains," read "Curtains."
- Page 80, line 32. For "fiirst," read "first."
- Page 82, line 32. The numerals 174 8—9 should be rendered 1748-9.
- Page 85, line 31. For "Card," read "Curd."
- Page 90, line 30. For "Winson," read "Winston."
- Page 93, line 1. For "Iong," read "Long."
- Page 102, line 21. For "Martha," read "Mark."
- Page 107, line 2. For Rev. "William Selden" and "Miles Randolph," read "Rev. Miles Selden" and "William Randolph."
- Page 112, line 8. For "Mealor" read "Meador."
- Page 124, line 37. For "futre," read "future."
- Page 133, line 33. Rendered as in the original—but it is evident that the word "paupers" was there omitted after "conveying" 7.
- Page 147, line 39. For "Basstard," read "bastard."
- Page 151, line 9. For "furrher," read "further."
- Page 157, line 29. For "Ecclissastical" read "Ecclesiastical."
- Page 159, line 6. Insert a comma after "which."
- Page 160. In the second foot reference for "Paper," read "Papers;" in the third, for 1765, read 1785.
- Page 165, line 18. For "geneology," read "genealogy;" and in foot reference—for "Arachologia American Trans. and Coll. Am. Art. Soc., &c.," read "Archeologia, Americana, Coll. Am. Ant. Soc., &c."
- Page 169, foot reference 2 and 3. For "Steevens'," read "Perry's."
- Page 170, line 29. For "William, Essex," read "William Essex."
- Page 171. Omit lines 11 and 12. Commence line 24 with numeral 6 instead of 4, and in line 31, for "owner," read "purchaser."
- Page 173, line 19. For "family as being: "tblerant," read "family immediate as being: very tolerant"—
- Page 174, line 15. Insert a comma after "patriot"—line 23, for "Tthat," read "That."
- Page 175, line 1. For "Francis," read "Frances."
- Page 176, line 2. For "M. O." read "M. O. C."
- Page 176, line 14. For "Dr. Radford," read "Dr. Wm. Radford."
- Page 178, line 30. For "Mr. Winston," read "Wm. Winston."
- Page 179, line 19. For "Dec." read "Die."
- Page 180, line 27. For "Gelbe" read "Glebe."
- Page 184, line 15. For "representation," read "representative;" line 26. After relates, omit "to me."
- Page 187, line 22. Add to this sentence—"Daughter of John Davis of Wales;" line 29, for "marriad," read "married."

PREFACE.

The preparation of the following pages for the press has been most pleasurable to me, being in grateful accord with tastes and aims deeply cherished and increasingly absorbing. The task, however, was a novel one, and has been attended with the disadvantage of having been performed in those hours of release from exacting daily pursuits which are usually devoted by others to amusement or repose. The result is offered with much diffidence, as I do not claim any qualities requisite to such labors, other than those of earnestness and assiduity. I am painfully conscious of my deficiencies and can only expect that those who are disposed to be critical, will find much to condemn in this unpretentious tribute to the history of my native State. To such, the language employed may be objectionable, the arrangement unskillful, and the details frequently of local triviality, and perchance fully freighted with inaccuracies. For the first two faults, apologetic explanations have been offered; to the third objection, I am constrained to urge that to the historian, I feel that any detail which may serve to enhance the vividness of a local narrative, and to aid as a link connecting the past with the present, will not be idle, and surely some concession might be allowed to the proverbial reverential craving of a people resident—for the traditions proper of their own locality. To the last complaint, it can only be sorrowfully admitted, that in matters of minute historical narration or in genealogical data, entire accuracy can neither be attained nor expected—the more especially when materials have to be drawn principally from tradition, unpublished memoranda and ephemeral publications. Only those whose labors require a resort to such sources can realize the perplexities incident thereon—among which may be cited—the reconciling of variances in different accounts, the drawing of deductions from mere illusions or scantily detailed events, and

the identification of individuals designated by family name only. To the truly earnest student of history *all* contributions to its truth or accuracy by the correction of error or the addition of facts are *ever* gratefully welcome. The fragments of genealogy embodied in the appended notes, are, I regret, very deficient in requisite essentials. They are offered in their present crude and unsatisfactory state, principally with the hope that they may serve as stimulating nuclei for the use of those who, from consanguinity, it might be hoped would be interested in them. The inestimable value of genealogy is every day becoming more fully recognized by the careful historian, for the precision in individuality, era and location of event, to which it enables him; nor is he less appreciative of the assistance to be derived from the contemporaneous journals and narratives of private individuals and local bodies, for they offer features to him which the dignified historian has ignored, arraying, as they do, before our mind's eye, in vivid reality, the people of a period as they were in every aim and requirement of life, enabling oftentimes an instantaneous deduction of incentive or cause, which the stately pages of history from their generality might have baffled. Might it not be here pertinent to enquire if history would not be a more valuable and satisfactory guide if its pages were made to include an account (disposed according to the taste of the historian) of its actors in their daily pursuits, with their results, their dress and their social customs?

In conclusion, I desire to avail myself of this opportunity to testify my grateful appreciation of the many favors, the valuable advice and the hearty sympathy which, in the prosecution of my tastes during a series of years, that I have been the recipient of from my constant friend, Thomas H. Wynne, Esq., at whose suggestion, indeed, the present effort was undertaken, and at whose cost it is now being printed. I know of no one to whom my fellow-citizens of the Old Dominion owe more than to him for his life-long devoted efforts in the preservation of record and relic elucidating her history and archeology, nor can his claim in the cause of her material interests be deemed a slight one.

R. A. B.

INTRODUCTION.

Surely no portion of the early history of Virginia can more attractively appeal to the thoughtful of her sons than that relating to Henrico Parish, enriched as it is with incidents the most important and deeply interesting. It comprised within its limits the second settlement made in the Colony, the town of Henricopolis, (afterwards contracted to Henrico) which was founded by Sir Thomas Dale, at the head of one hundred and fifty settlers, in the early part of the month of September, 1611. It received its name in honor of Prince Henry, the eldest son of James the First, and was built upon that peninsula on James River, which is formed by an extraordinary curve in its course resembling that of a horse-shoe—the river, after a sweep of seven miles, returning to a point within one hundred and twenty yards from that of its deviation.* The name of the bend, Dutch Gap, by the events of the late war, attained a historic notoriety; a navigable canal across its narrowest breadth, the digging of which for military advantages, was commenced by the Federal General, B. F. Butter, has recently been completed. The first rector of Henrico parish was the Rev. Alexander Whitaker, who accompanied Sir Thomas Dale to the Colony in 1611. He was a truly pious man, and his zealous efforts in the cause of re-

* Campbell's Va., p. 105.

ligion among the Indians, promised the most fruitful results. They were unfortunately terminated by his accidental death by drowning, in 1617. Two events occurred in the year 1614, which were of the deepest import to the welfare of the Colonists: the baptism and marriage of the gentle Pocahontas. It is a matter of controversy whether they occurred at Henrico or Jamestown, but it is conceded that the officiating clergyman was Mr. Whittaker. To the town and parish of Henrico also belong the honor of the first active movement, on a large scale, in the cause of education in the Colony, for though King James had some years before this, through the Archbishop of Canterbury, called upon the Bishops and Clergy of England to take up collections for the founding of a University in Virginia; yet it was not until the year 1619 that the Virginia Company having their attention called to the subject, caused to be circulated a subscription to defray the expenses of founding a college to be located at the town of Henrico. An appropriation of fifteen thousand acres of land, lying on both sides of the river, was made, and during this and the following year, one hundred laborers were imported to cultivate them; eighty young women were also sent over as wives for the men. The products of the land were to be devoted to the support of the College. During the years 1619-20-21, some £1,300 sterling and books towards a library, were subscribed. Preparations for carrying into effect this most enlightened measure, were being superintended by Mr. George Thorpe, (a kinsman of Sir Thomas Dale) when it was abruptly terminated by the lamentable massacre of the Colonists, by the Indians, on the 22d of March, 1622. Mr. Whittaker administered at both Henricop-

olis and Bermuda Hundreds. He was succeeded, as rector, by his assistant, the Rev. William Wickham, and he, in turn, by the Rev. Mr. Stockam; then we have no definite account of a minister until the year 1685, when the Rev. Jas. Blair settled in the parish; he remained its rector until 1794, when he became President of William and Mary College, and Commissary of Virginia.* He appears to have been succeeded by the Rev. George Robinson,† who was in charge in 1695. The next account we have of the parish is of date 1724, and is contained in an answer to the circular of the Bishop of London, but unfortunately the original manuscript was mutilated, by the cutting away of the name of the minister subscribed. The minister had been in the parish fourteen years. The bounds of the parish were eighteen by twenty-five miles; it contained two churches and one chapel. There were eleven hundred tithables, slaves sixteen years old, and four hundred families. The attendance at church sometimes numbered from one to two hundred. There was no public school. There were only about twenty communicants at a time when sacrament was administered.‡

The Vestry Book, the original of our text, continues more definitely the history of Henrico Parish. Commencing with the minutes for the year 1730, the record is continuous to the year 1773, inclusive. A meeting of the Vestry appears to have been held at the Court House of Henrico County, July 8th, 1771; the two additional meetings, the minutes of which are recorded, must have been held at the same place.

* Campbell's Va., p. 304.

† Bishop Meade, 1; pp. 79, 136-7.

‡ Perry's Virginia Church Papers, p. 35.

The Vestry Book, we have good reason to conclude, was left among the records of the Court for safe keeping; the troublous revolutionary period succeeding, its place of deposit was most likely overlooked, and soon the very existence of the book forgotten. It remained unnoticed among the Court records until within a year or two past, when its character was accidentally discovered by Peyton Rhodes Carrington, Esq., of this City, who promptly took steps to have it restored to appropriate custody. It is now in the possession of the Vestry of the venerable St. John's Church, who most obligingly allowed the editor the privilege of transcribing its contents, which he has faithfully endeavored. The volume is a folio, measuring eight inches in width by twelve inches in length, with a binding twice covered with vellum, now much discolored. The record contained, comprises one hundred and ninety-one manuscript pages, which, with the exception of a few time-faded spots and margins, are still entirely legible. There are a few additional blank leaves, and palpably some are missing from that portion of the book devoted to a registry of the births and deaths in the parish. The water-mark of the paper is that of the reign of George II. There are no means of determining who was the Rector of Henrico Parish from the time of the incumbency of the Rev. George Robinson, to that of the opening of the Vestry Book, in 1730, with the Rev. James Keith as Minister. His connection with the Parish was severed March 2d, 1733. We now find that the Rev. Zachariah Brook and the Rev. David Mossom officiate at intervals until sometime in 1735. In September of that year, the Rev. Anthony Gavin, who appears to have already ministered to the Parish, accepts a call to the rector-

ship—there is no record of the surrender of his charge ;* but on July 18th, 1736, the Rev. Wm. Stith having produced letters of recommendation from Geo. Gooch and Commissary Blair. and having that day administered divine service to the satisfaction of the Vestry, was thereupon elected rector. He resigned December 3d, 1751, to take effect October 1st, 1752, having been elected President of William and Mary College, and being called at the same time to the rectorship of St. Anne's Church, his incumbency of these positions commencing with the latter date. The Rev. Roscow Cole is next called, but appears not to have accepted. The Rev. Joseph Bewsher or Berewsher†—(it being so variously spelled in the original) was unanimously elected June 22, 1752, to succeed Mr. Stith ; but he appears to have resigned before entering upon charge, for we find the Rev. Miles Selden to have been elected August 25th, 1752. He continued in charge the remainder of the period covered by the old Vestry Book, and from published lists of Parish Rectors, was still reported as the Rector of Henrico Parish in 1776. It is highly probable that the divine service was but seldom performed in the churches of Henrico Parish, if they were not closed during the years comprising the period of the Revolutionary War and immediately following it, since the church establishment then fell into entire neglect.

The further history of the parish may now be limited to its most interesting memorial, the venerable St. John's Church, which if not admitted to be the cradle of liberty in Virginia,

* The Rev. Anthony Gavin addressed a letter to the Bishop of London, from St. James' Parish, Goochland, August 5th, 1738.—*Perry's Va. Papers*, p. 360.

† This was most likely Jonathan Boucher, since there occurs no such name as that of the text in the published list of the Episcopal Clergy of this date.

is surely entitled to the claim of having been its fostering temple—for within its hallowed walls, met on the 20th of March, 1775, the second patriot convention of Virginia, and and here it was that Patrick Henry with an eloquence born of unfettered nature's own sublime simplicity, sounded the tocsin of freedom, in that famed soul-stirring effort, concluding with the immortal words "Give me liberty, or give me death"* Here, again, it met on the 17th of July following; and here, also, in 1788, met that sage body of statesmen who ratified the Federal Constitution. The church situated in the eastern part of the city, upon Richmond Hill (so named from its resemblance to Richmond Hill on the Thames,) the most beautiful of all from which Richmond derives its designation of the "City of the Seven Hills," is a plain wooden structure of irregular form, approaching that of the letter **T**, with a sharply ridged roof; it is surmounted on the north side by a belfry and spire containing a bell the most melodious in sound of any in the city, and is embosomed in a beautiful grove of varied growth. † The yard, occupying an entire square, is elevated several feet above the streets, and is well enclosed with a brick wall of ample height; it is ridged with the little hillocks, and

* The chancel was formerly in the southeast corner of the original church building, and the orator is said to have occupied a position near it whilst delivering his memorable speech. The original pulpit, which is said to have been brought from England, is still in use. The sounding board overhead *was* inlaid in the form of a star, with woods of different colors, but is at present painted white.

† The original Church was built with the ends almost duly north and south, and it occupies nearly that position with regard to the corners of the church-yard, being situated a little within the limits of the lower half of its area. There was a door with two small windows above lighting the gallery in the western end, a large window and a smaller one above in the eastern end, and probably six windows on either side; with the addition on the south, of a door, these six circular top windows remain—the lights or window panes of which measure only six by eight inches.

thickly studded with the mouldering and moss-grown monuments of the dead, for more than a century past.*

Its commanding location affords a view of the surrounding country of rare and varied loveliness. Taking our stand beneath the western eaves of the old church, and slowly turning, we have passing our vision a panorama which at once entrances the senses. In the distance, in their wild grandeur of rocks, (a rugged rupture seemingly of nature's upheaving bosom) green islets and foaming currents, the famed falls of the James (the ancient Powhatan) give forth a sullen and continuous roar, in their angry course; Hollywood Cemetery, sublimely picturesque in its noble groves, gleaming monuments, hills and sequestered vales, threaded by silvery streamlets; the peacefully gliding canal, with its line of boats; the celebrated Tredegar Iron Works, with their glowing furnaces; and flame-belching chimnies, the desolated walls of the State Armory—a memory of that culmination of calamity, the awful visitation of the 3d of April, 1865; the imposing Gallego and Haxall Flouring Mills; our fair city with its towers, steeples and prominent central figure of the capitol, with its surrounding beauty of meandering walk, grass plot and green shades—are all gathered in a single *coup d'oeil*. Now changing our position to the south of the Church, the noble James spreads out into nearly a mile's breadth beneath us,

* The Editor having carefully transcribed all of the epitaphs (among which are those of many of Virginia's revered sons) contained in the old church-yard, and possessing besides a copy of the Parish Registry of births, deaths and marriages, from the time of the incumbency of the Rev. Dr. John Buchanan, he hopes at some future time to be able to present them also in durable form, as a continuation of the present volume. Tradition affirms that the first baptism in the Old Church, was that of Samuel Ege, who, if now living, would be one hundred and fifty years of age.

with its spanning bridges ; the town of Manchester, with its cotton, woollen and flouing mills, whilst lower down, along its northern margin, lie the Richmond Docks, studded with a little forest of masts and rigging ; below, on the southern side, are the noted " Falls Plantations," whilst on either side lie broad and fertile flats, flanked by dense forests.

The building of the Church, now known as St. John's, was determined on by the Vestry of Henrico Parish, held December 20th, 1739, and was directed to be located upon the lands of Wm. Byrd. The dimensions were to be twenty-five in breadth, by sixty feet in length, with a pitch of fourteen feet. Richard Randolph contracted to build it at a cost of £317. 10 shillings current money, agreeing to complete it by the 10th of June, 1741. On the 13th day of October, 1740, a letter of Wm. Byrd, dated the 12th, professing to give two lots in the town of Richmond * as a site for the Church, it was

* These were lots 97 and 98, (each containing one-fourth of a square) in the original plan of Richmond, as laid off for Wm. Byrd by Major Wm. Mayo, in April, 1737. The Church-yard was extended to its present limits in the year 1799, by the purchase on the part of the City of Richmond, of lot 111, from Dr. John Adams, and of lot 112 from Col. Richard Adams, Jr., executor of Thomas B. Adams. The City Council then, by an arrangement (the only previous action was of date August 13th, 1782, appointing a committee to superintend the registering of births, deaths and marriages in the town,) with the Church Vestry, caused the entire ground to be enclosed. The dead of every denomination were thenceforth allowed to be interred within their limits, until the establishment of other cemeteries by the city—(that on Shockoe Hill was authorized June 19th, 1815;) the keeping of the enclosure in repair, to be at the expense of the corporate authorities of the city, in whom were vested the power to establish regulations for the same. By ordinance, now in force, a yearly appropriation is made towards repairs, and the expenditure of the same and the control of the church-yard is vested in a committee of three, appointed by the council. The present committee consists of Messrs. Thomas H. Wynne, President of the Council, C. B. Lipscombe and R. A. Brock. The sexton of the old church-yard was, for many years, at the beginning of the present century, a woman, a Mrs. Charity Bowers, who was sometimes assisted by her sons. Her successor was Joseph Myer. The duties have been performed for some years past successively by an Italian named Griffini (commonly called Jack) and his son Antonio.

It is a source of mortification and regret, that the old church-yard has not

agreed definitely to accept his offer, and to erect the church upon the hill called Indian Town, at Richmond, agreeably to the former contract with Richard Randolph. The designation of the church, for a long while, appears to have been simply the "upper church," "Church at Richmond," "Henrico Church," or the "Church on Richmond Hill." The title, St. John's, must have been decided upon by the Vestry, at a meeting held April 20th, 1829—for on the 25th instant following, the name is first so recorded.* An addition to the church upon the north side, twenty-five feet in width by forty feet in length, with a gallery on both sides and in one end, was decided upon by the Vestry, at a meeting held December 8th, 1772 † For a period succeeding the Revolutionary War, the Episcopal Church in Virginia appears to have been in a dormant condition, and the Old Church at Richmond, it is presumed, remained quite as much neglected, as her sisterhood scattered over the State.

A meeting was held March 28th, 1785, at the Court House in Richmond, agreeably to a recent Act of the Virginia Assembly, granting the Episcopal Church certain privileges of tenure and property, as enjoyed by other religious sects, which by previous enactment had been denied to reorganize the Church on Richmond Hill, and the following Vestrymen were elected :

always received from those in charge that care and attention to which its appealing past so completely entitles it—for in one of its corners lie heaped a confused mass of tombstones, entire and fragmentary, (among them several of prominent and cherished citizens) which we are informed, having from time to time fallen at their proper positions, instead of being promptly reset, were removed to their present ignoble place of deposit. Their proper positions were speedily forgotten, and now the graves of the honorable dead are unmarked and their identification rendered an impossibility. How could this have been allowed to occur?

* The present Vestry Book of the Church (commencing March 28th, 1785,) from which most of the facts in the ensuing pages have been drawn.

† This was lighted with two rows of windows on each side, each three in number, the second line being intended to light the galleries.

Edmund Randolph, * Turner Southall, Jacqueline Ambler, † Nathaniel Wilkinson, Bowler Cocke, Daniel L. Hylton, ‡ Miles Selden, Jr., Thomas Prosser, Hobson Owens, William Foushee, || John Ellis (son of John) and William Burton, of whom Edmund Randolph and Bowler Cocke were chosen Church Wardens. At a meeting of the said Vestry, held at the Court House at Richmond, May 10th, 1785, the Rev. Jno. Buchanan (D. D. William and Mary College, 1794,) was chosen as Rector of Henrico Parish. He was a pious and good man, simple in his tastes and economical in his habits. Inheriting a competency from his brother James, § who had been a successful merchant of Richmond, he is reported to have claimed but little as salary from his parishoners. By resolution of the Vestry of April 27th, 1790, Ministers of other denominations were permitted to preach in the Churches of the Parish, and on the 18th day of April, 1812, special permission was given the Rev. John D. Blair, a Presbyterian, to fill the pulpit of the Church on Richmond Hill every alternate Sunday. The venerable author of "Richmond in Bygone days," alludes quite touchingly to the regard existing

* Edmund Randolph, Governor of Virginia, Attorney Gen'l U. S., &c.

† Jacqueline Ambler, member of the State Council during the Revolution, and Treasurer of the State for a series of years afterwards.

‡ Daniel L. Hylton was a wealthy and influential merchant, and a member of the Council of State.

|| William Foushee (born October 26th, 1749, died August 21st, 1824,) was a prominent man in our local annals. He was a graduate of the Edinburgh Medical College; first Mayor of Richmond, being elected July 2d, 1782; and afterwards for many years, its Postmaster—a daughter of his, Isabella, married Thomas Ritchie, the founder of the "*Richmond Enquirer*" and the "Father of the Democratic Party;" another married Williams Carter, of Broad-neck and North Wales; and a third, Col. Richard E. Parker, of the ill-fated Miranda Expedition.

§ James Buchanan was an Alderman and Chamberlain of the City of Richmond from July 12th, 1784 to July 9th, 1787.

between the Reverend Messrs. Buchanan and Blair, and of the generosity of the former to his more needy brother.*

On the 15th of February, 1791, the Treasurer of the Parish, Jacqueline Ambler, reports to the Vestry the sum of thirty-four pounds, raised by a concert and the sale of an organ.

On the 25th of April following, a committee appointed to enquire into the property of the parish, report that "The Glebe, of Henrico Parish, consists of 196 acres of land by an old patent, the houses out of repair, it rents for £40 per annum, and the supposed present value £1000. Personal property, one silver cup and salver." In 1814 the Richmond Church was repaired, the roof being shingled and much of the frame-work renewed, and the Monumental Church having been completed, the services of a minister to assist the Rev. Dr. Buchanan became necessary. On the 23d of July, 1814, an invitation was extended to the Rev. David Moore, of New York, the son of Bishop Richard Channing Moore, at a salary of \$1000 per annum, with the promise that he should succeed to the permanent rectorship of the Parish, in the contingency of the death of the Rev. Dr. Buchanan. It would appear that the call was declined by Mr. Moore, for the Rev. Wm. H. Hart, of New York, producing testimonials to the Vestry May 1st, 1815, he was thereupon chosen assistant minister of the Parish. On the 17th of May, 1816, Mr. Hart was authorized to treat for the purchase of an organ for the church, at a cost of \$1100. Ben'j Watkins Leigh and Dr. John Adams were appointed lay deputies to the State Episcopal Convention, in 1817. The following in relation to the

* Richmond in By-Gone Days, Ed. 1860, p. 157-9.

church-grounds appears in the minutes of the Vestry, for April 28th, 1820: "Whereas sundry resolutions and a petition have heretofore been presented to the Honorable, the Common Hall of this city, by the Rector, Wardens and Vestry of the Old Church on Richmond Hill, in relation to the burying-ground surrounding said church, and such resolutions and petitions having never yet been acted on effectually; and whereas said burying-ground is now and has been for years past completely filled with remains, insomuch that a grave cannot be prepared without exhumating the bones of those that have been previously deposited, thereby subjecting the officers of said church to a state of constant and painful embarrassment, and almost daily outraging the feelings of our citizens—Therefore,

"*Resolved* by the Rector, Wardens and Vestry of said church, on Richmond Hill, that we do most solemnly and decidedly protest against the further admission of bodies into said burying-ground, and that we will use our utmost endeavor with the Common Hall of this City, to prevent the continuance of a proceeding so extremely indecorous and so repugnant to all the feelings of humanity."

A gate * was erected in June, 1820, by private subscription, in the north-west wall of the church-yard. At a called meeting of the Vestry, held November 8th, 1820, it was

"*Resolved*, That no old graves shall be disturbed for the purpose of interring new remains, except such as may have

* The only entrances to the church-yard in 1800, and most probably, for a long while afterwards, were on the south-side, where there were two. It is now, and has always been impracticable for vehicles to enter the church-yard—bodies being carried in on biers. At the beginning of this century, the only approach to the church was by the steep ascent of the old road-way of 25th street, leading by the church. This is now, by excavation, some fifteen feet lower than formerly.

relatives already, whose remains they may remove by and with the consent and advice of the Wardens, for the time being.*

“*Resolved*, That a committee be appointed for the purpose of obtaining a burying-ground, and digesting a plan thereof; and handing around a subscription to the citizens generally, for the purpose of defraying the necessary expenses incurred thereby.

“*Resolved*, That the secretary be requested to cause the foregoing resolution concerning the grave-yard to be published in the *Times and Compiler*, twice a week for four weeks.”

Owing to the low financial condition of the church, the project of a new burying-ground was abandoned.

On the 1st of July, 1822, the Vestry appointed a committee to consider and report upon a proposition made by a Mr. Day, of Maryland, to build a new church on the site of the old one on Richmond Hill. This scheme, so entirely repugnant to a proper feeling of reverence and to correct taste, resulted, as it entirely merited, fruitlessly.

The good and self-sacrificing Dr. Buchanan, who had been for sometime in such declining health that the principal duties of the rector had devolved upon his assistant, to the deep grief of his parishoners, dying on the 19th of December, 1822, on the 27th instant following, the Rev. Wm. H. Hart was elected his successor.

On the 30th of March, 1824, Mr. Mark L. Chevers, who

* † Burials in the old church yard are very infrequent now, being only allowed of those whose relatives have been interred there. They occur chiefly when some aged person has expressed the desire to be laid with parents or consort, oftenest in the same grave, when occurs (as has been witnessed by the editor) what was so long ago complained of by the church authorities.

had for a series of years most faithfully discharged the duties of clerk of the Church Vestry, having received holy orders, tendered his resignation, which was received. Thereafter, the duties of clerk, secretary or register of the Vestry, appear to have been performed by one of their number.

In the minutes of a called meeting of the Vestry of Henrico Parish, held May 1st, 1826, the following, in reference to the Glebe lands, appears: "The Rev. Rector informed the Vestry that a short time subsequent to the death of our late lamented Pastor, the Rev. John Buchanan, the overseers of the poor of Henrico County laid claim to the land owned and occupied by the church as a Glebe, and advertised it for sale; that thereupon he enjoined the proceedings and filed a bill in chancery to obtain ownership, whereupon the Chancellor (the Hon. Henry St. George Tucker) in the January term of his court, 1826, decided in favor of this church, and against all claims of the overseers of the poor aforesaid."

"*Resolved*, That the Rev. Wm. H. Hart, Rector; John A. Lancaster and John Dove, Wardens of this church, be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to sell one right and interest in the Glebe lands, now owned and occupied by this Parish, adjoining the Varina estate, to Mr. Pleasant Aiken, of Petersburg, in such manner as to them may appear to the best interest of the Parish."

Provision was also made for the investment of the proceeds of such sale.

At an early period, two hundred acres of land were laid off from the College or Company lands, near Henricopolis or Dale's settlement, for a Glebe, court-house, prison, &c.—one hundred and ninety-six being for the former. It was the

residence of the Rev. Mr. Selden, but is not known to have been occupied by any succeeding rector. Sometime during the decade of the last century, Col. Richard Adams, Senior, donated to the Church on Richmond Hill, a commodious brick building, not far distant from it, to be used as a rectory. It has been the residence of the successive ministers since. *

An appeal from the decision of the Chancellor was taken by the overseers of the poor, and Mr. Aiken declined closing his purchase of the lands in question, until the decision of the Court of Appeals. On March 26th, 1828, at a meeting of the Vestry, it was,

“Resolved, That the Rev. Rector be requested to lease the Glebe lands, adjoining Varina estate and belonging to the Parish, to such person and upon such terms, as he may think will best secure their preservation.”

No further reference to the matter appears in the minutes of the Vestry, who afterwards preferred to surrender their apparently just claims, (which differing from those of other Parishes in the State, which had been acquired chiefly by purchase with Parish funds, was derived direct by virtue of early gift from the London company.) rather than enter into what was a repugnant, and which might prove, a protracted controversy.

The Rev Wm. H. Hart resigning on the 13th July, 1828, the Rev. Wm. F. Lee was elected Rector of the Parish.

In the year 1829, a proposition was made to remove the

* It was but recently discovered that, by a singular oversight, no title to the property was ever made by Col. Adams to the church. But by the commendable attention of Mr. P. R. Carrington, a deed of date March 3d, 1871, executed by himself as administrator *de bonis non* of R. Adams, Senior, is now on record in the Hustings Court of this city.

Old Church below the hill, or to build or purchase a new one.* Divisions occurred in the congregation, which resulted in the resignation of Mr. Lee and several of the Vestrymen, on the 31st December, 1829, and the purchase of the Presbyterian church, situated on the south-side of Grace, between 17th and 18th streets, which was built under the auspices of the Rev. John H. Rice, D. D., and which from the design of its cupola, was quaintly known as the "Pine Apple Church." It received, under its new control, the name of Christ Church. Mr. Lee remained its minister until his death. The church was demolished several years since. Mr. Lee is supposed to have continued to minister to the congregation of St. John's until the installation of the Rev. Edward W. Peet, who was elected to the rectorship February 24th, 1830.

At a meeting of the Vestry, held August 2d, 1831, "The Rector read to the Vestry a communication from certain persons, asking the sanction of the Vestry to the establishment of a new Episcopal church within the Parish of Henrico, to be located on a convenient situation on Shockoe hill. Whereupon,

"*Resolved*, Unanimously, that the Rector and Vestry of Henrico Parish, regarding with pleasure the prospect of promoting the welfare of the Episcopal church within the Parish, do cheerfully assent to the erection of the proposed church on Shockoe hill: Provided, the said church be located on some spot west of the capitol."

This was the preliminary step which led to the erection of

* The Editor has been informed that the building of a new church was commenced at the corner of 23d and Broad streets—that it progressed so far as the first story of masonry, when the project was abandoned.

St. Paul's Church. On the 25th of July, 1833, the Rev. Mr. Peet resigning, the Rev. Robt. B. Croes was elected Rector of St. John's church. The church was repaired and enlarged during the year 1830, and a brick building, for Sunday school purposes, erected in the southern portion of the church-yard. *

Unhappy differences occurring between Mr. Croes and his congregation, led to the severance of his connection with the church on the 14th of January, 1836. The Rev. Wm. H. Hart was now elected Rector January 22d, 1836, and he appears to have entered on his duties sometime prior to the 16th of May, ensuing. He resigned the pastorate on the 28th of

* The present dimensions of the original portion of the church building correspond very nearly to those specified in the text, measuring twenty-five feet, four inches in breadth, by sixty feet, six inches in length. There is reason to believe that a majority of the weather-boarding has occupied its present place since the period of the first addition to the church, and perchance earlier, as with the exception of such portions as were rendered necessary to be renewed because of a change made by the removal of the entrance to the church on the south-side, to the eastern end, (which was done within a few years past,) where it now occupies the place of a former window, and repairs near the foundation because of decay. It is of the best yellow pine and is uniformly nearly an inch in thickness, the lower edge being beaded. The portions restored are much thinner and are unbeaded. The whole is nearly two inches wider than that covering the sides of the addition, or wing of the church, which was, originally ordered to be twenty-five by forty feet, through this original addition there ran only one aisle, but there are now two, the wing having been enlarged as per the text above, now measures thirty-eight feet in breadth, by forty-five and a half feet in length. The belfry, at this period, was an open one, exposing the bell. Some repairs were made to the church and steeple in 1857, and in 1866 the present much handsomer spire took the place of the old one. The gallery (here formerly stood a small organ) directed for the original church, still remains in the western end, and the entrance beneath it is yet used. The remaining entrances, two in number, corresponding to the aisles, are in the northern end of the church. There is a door also in the base of the steeple, giving access to the bell. There, too, is a gallery within which is placed the church organ. There are now three windows on each side of the wing of the church, with lights measuring six by ten inches. The pulpit now occupies a central position in the southern side of the church. The cornice to the roof of the entire church buildings was probably added in 1830. There is a cellar beneath the old church building, in which burials of prominent individuals were made—the remains of Dr. Buchanan are said to rest here.

September, 1842, and on the 21st October following, the Rev. Wm. H. Wilmer was elected to succeed him. Mr. Wilmer declining, the Rev. J. H. Morrison was the choice of the Vestry at a meeting held January 26th, 1843. He resigned his charge on the 15th of May, 1848. The Rev. Henry S. Kepler accepted a call to the church May 1st, 1849. In the year 1852, a new wall on the eastern line of the church-yard being rendered necessary by the grading of twenty-fifth street, it was erected by appropriation of the City Council.*

The Rev. H. S. Kepler resigning the pastorate of the church June 28th, 1859, the Rev. Jno. Tevis Points accepted a call to the same on the 24th of October following. The church prospered greatly under his ministration, and by his pious zeal, self-sacrificing spirit, and warm solicitude for the welfare of his congregation, he greatly endeared himself to them. His useful labors, to the great grief of his flock, were most unfortunately terminated by his death, which occurred suddenly on the 10th of June, 1860. A handsome monument of white marble, of obelisk form, marks his remains in the old church-yard. The Rev. Wm. C. Butler accepted the charge of the church September 17th, 1860, and resigned the same November 27th, 1861. The Rev. Robert Nelson appears to have principally ministered to the Church, during the periods succeeding the resignation of the Rev. Messrs. Points and Butler and the installation of their successors. The Rev. William Norwood, D. D., was called to the rectorship March 18th, 1862. He resigned the same August 17th, 1868, and the

* The appearance of the wall at present indicates at least these several times of building or repair. Only some portions of the wall, in the southern and the lower corner of the eastern line, being palpably the remains of the one originally erected.

Rev Henry Wall, D. D., the present minister, succeeded him on the 10th of October, following. The communicants connected with the Old Church have numbered for a series of years past about one hundred, being sometimes a little less and frequently more—the constant removal of residents of Richmond Hill, to the western end of the city, prevents a more gratifying increase. The congregations, however, are often much larger, including transient visitors to the city, and residents of the other hills.

The following gentlemen have successively composed the Vestries of the old church, since its organization in 1785:

Alex. McRobert,	Wm. W. Weymouth,
Robert Pollard,	Thomas Taylor,
Philip McRae,	Samuel Scherer,
Eldridge Harris,	John Hague,
Thomas Nicolson,	Wm. Marshall,
William Wischam,	Col. Jno. Ambler,
Gen'l John Harvie,	Col. Wm. Mayo,
Col. Edward Carrington,	Hilary Baker,
Anthony Singleton,	W Shepherd,
John Pendleton,	Thos. Bohannon,
W. Berkeley,	Samuel G. Adams,
Henry L. Shore,	John Warrock,
J. Williamson,	Walter Shelton,
Sam'l Greenhow,	John Enders,
Alex. McRae,	A. Lithgow,
Wm. Hay,	Col. Geo. M. Carrington,
Dr. John Adams,	Jas. Whitlock,
A. Turner,	Capt. Jos. A. Myers,

Philip Budlong,	Thomas Massie,
Dr. John Dove,	Orrin Williams,
W. A. Burton,	John Womble,
Jno. H. Cosby,	William Beers,
Lewis Burwell,	Jas. Fisher, Jr.,
M. C. Lackland,	Wm. B. Isaacs,
Clement B. Weston,	Thomas M. Smith,
John A. Lancaster,	J. H. Grant,
Col. Reuben Tankersley,	Dr. H. D. Taliaferro,
Bennett Crump,	Hugh Rileigh,
Thomas Pulling,	Joseph M. Carrington,
Wm. Mitchell, Jr.,	Wm. Palmer,
Jas. Snell,	Thomas M. Alfriend,
Jno. Thompson,	Wm. J. Yarbrough,
Maj. Francis Wicker,	James Carleton,
Hugh C. McNemara,	Wm. Greanor,
Jno. Cosby,	Geo. M. West,
Sam'l Garthright,	Oliver P. Baldwin,
Richard H. Whitlock,	D. Coupland Randolph,
Maurice Primrose,	Andrew Johnston,
Samuel Sublett,	Dr. John Knox,
Sam'l C. Nicholls,	Gen'l Alex. Brown,
Dr. Jno. A. Carrington,	Allen Young Stokes,
Geo. W. Banks,	John Viles,
Elias Reed,	Charles Camman,
James Gibb,	David A. McMinn,
Dabney Garthright,	C. R. Taylor,
Thomas Miles,	J. M. Pullen,
John Van Lew,	Lemuel Yerby,
Dr. Richard A. Carrington,	Geo. Bell,

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Thomas Potts,	Peyton Rhodes Carrington,
Col. J. D. Whitehead,	John F. Glenn,
Capt. Louis J. Bossieux,	Geo. T. Baldwin,
Capt. J. H. Greanor.	

The list comprises very many of our most influential and valued citizens of successive generations, and includes some names of a national reputation.

AT a VESTRY, held October the twenty Eight, in the Year
of OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED AND THIRTY,
at CURLES¹ Church.

Present.

The Reverend Mr. James Keith,	
Richard Randolph, ²	John Worsham,
John Redford,	Joseph Royal,
Bowler Cocke,	John Bolling.

Henrico Parish.

Dr.

To the Reverend James Keith,	}		
To William Perkins, Reader,			
To Richard Williams, ditto,			
To Charles Griffith, ditto,			
To Do. Clerk of the Vestry,			
To John Hobson, Sexton,			
To John Osborn, Ditto,			
To Thomas Branch, for Ferriages,			
To Thomas Jefferon, ³ Do.			*
To Joseph Wilkinson, for Ann Hewett,			
To the Church-wardens for the poor, viz :			
Abraham Robinson,			
Pardue's Sons,			
To Joseph Wilkinson,			
To Sarah Woodcock, for her son,			
To Hutchins Burton, for Sarah Rawlins,			
To John Herbert,			
To Abraham Bailey, for John Worth,			
Brought over,		† 25,800	1,164
To Elizabeth Womack, for keeping a found- ling child six months,		500	40
To the Church-wardens, for Susanna Wake- field,		800	64
To Richard Williams, Sexton,		600	

* Figures illegible in original.

† Pounds of Tobacco.

To Capt ^e John Redford, for the railing of the Church, in full payment,	4,000	320
To William Bais, ditto,	4,000	200
To Capt ^e John Redford, for six Benches,	200	16
To William Robertson, for keeping Andrew Crawford four months and burying of him,	1,000	80
To Capt ^e Joseph Royal, for twenty-nine levies, entered in the list and live in King William parish,	1,131	
To Ditto, for nine Insolvents,	351	
To Col ^o Francis Epps, as ⁷ / ₈ Acct.,	1,113	
To Joseph Royal, for five Tithables, twice lifted,	195	
To Joseph Royal, Collect'd for good paiment,	541	
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	40,231	2,904
Salary,	4,023	
Cask, ⁴	2,904	
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	47,158	
Due to the Parish,	62	
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	47,220	

*Henrico Parish**Cr.*By 1574 Tithables at 30^{lb} of Tob^o ⁷/₈ pole, 47,220

Ordered,

That Capt^e Joseph Royal do receive, according to law, of Every Tithable p^{son} within this parish, thirty pounds of tobacco, being the parish levy for this year, and that he pay the Several Allowances before mentioned to the respective persons to whom the same are due.

JAMES KEITH, Minister.

AT A VESTRY held for HENRICO PARISH, the Twenty-Seventh of September, in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and thirty One.

Present.

Joseph Royal, church-warden; Francis Eppes, John Redford, Bowler Cocke, Edward Booker, James Powel Cocke and John Worsham, Joseph Mayo^s and William Worsham, Gentlemen take the Oath of Vestrymen for the Parish.

Present, Joseph and William Worsham, Gent.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this Colony, directing due manner of processioning of lands, &c.,⁶ the following precincts are lay'd out and directed to be processioned for the parish aforesaid, vizt: the North side lower precinct from Turkey Island Creek up to four Mile Creek, between White Oak Swamp and the River, and that part of this parish from the lower line between White Oak and Chiquohomony as high as Thomas Matthew's plantation.

Present, the Reverend James Keith.

Joseph Pleasants and Stephen Woodson are appoint'd to see the processioning made to the lower precinct, on the North side between the River and Swamp, and John Cocke and Thomas Wilkins in the precinct, back between the two Swamps and four mile creek.

From four Mile Creek to the River at the Mouth of ffield's Creek, all Within the Main Road to the River, John Redford and Benjamin Burton are appointed to see processioned.

From four Mile Creek bridge above the Said Creek, crossing Northerly as the Said Creek tendeth to the head, and thence Out to Thomas Matthew's, thence up Chiquohomony Swamp to upland Brook bridge, thence as the road tendeth to Rocketts, thence to the Mouth of ffield's Creek, thence to the place began at, by Joell Walker and James Cocke to be processioned.

From upland brook bridge, up the branch to the head to John Walford's on Do., thence down the said Run to Tuckahoe Creek, thence as the said Creek tendeth to the River, thence down the River to Rocketts, to be processioned by John Price and John Williamson.

From the Mouth of Deeprun up Tuckahoe to the Mouth of Chumley's branch, thence along the County line to Hanover line, thence down Chiquohomony Swamp to the Mouth of upland Brook, thence up the Brook to the bridge, to be processioned by Robert Mosby and John Shepperd.

The first precinct on the South side James River, to begin at the mouth of powel's Creek, Running up the river to the Ware run, thence up the said Run to the Appomattox Road, thence along the said Road to the parish line, thence down the said Line to the place began at, to be processioned by William Moseley and Robert Ealam.

From the Mouth of Ware run up the river to the Mouth of falling Creek, thence up the Said Creek Opposite to Tallies' Old plantation, thence across to Grill's Old plantation on Swift Creek, thence down the said Creek to the parish Line, thence along the Said Line to Appomattox Road, thence along the said Road to the place began at, to be processioned by Henry Vanderhood and field Jefferson.⁷

From the Mouth of falling Creek up the river to the Mouth of Powwhite Creek, thence up the Said Creek to Lucy's Spring, thence crossing to Lodwick Tanner's on Swift Creek, thence down the said Creek to Grill's Plantation, thence across to Tullitt's Old plantation, thence down falling Creek to the Mouth thereof, to be processioned by Wharham Easly and Thomas Harris.

From the Mouth of Powwhite up the River to the parish line, thence along the parish Lines to the County Lines, thence along the County line to Swift Creek, thence down the Creek to Lodowicks Tanner's, thence to the Mouth of Powwhite Creek to be processioned by John James Flour-enoy and Francis flour-noy.

From parish line on the South side Swift Creek, along the said Line to Appomattox River, thence up the said River to the Mouth of Middle Creek, thence to Swift Creek, as Straight a Course as may be guessed, to Robert Arhurst's plantations, thence down the said Creek to the place began at, to be processioned by William Locket and Benjamin Locket, Jun'r.

From the Mouth of Middle Creek on Appomattox River, up the Same to the County Line, thence along the said Line to

Swift Creek, thence down the said Creek to the said Robert Arthurt's plantation, thence to the head of Middle Creek, thence down the said Creek to the place began at, to be processioned by Edward Haskins and Creed Haskins.

JAMES KEITH.

AT A VESTRY held for the parish of HENRICO, at CURLES Church, October the Eleventh, in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Thirty-one

Present.

The Reverend Mr. James Keith.

William Randolph, Esq,

Richard Randolph,

Francis Eppes,

John Redford,

James Powel Eocke;

Bowler Cocke,

Edward Booker,

William Worsham,

Joseph Mayo,

John Worsham.

<i>Henrico Parish.</i>	<i>Dr.</i>	
To the Reverend James Keith,	16,000	64.
To William Perkins, Reader,	2,000	80.
To Richard Williams, Reader,	1,680	69.
To Charles Griffith, Reader,	2,000	80.
To Do. Clerk of the Vestry,	500	80.
To John Hobson, Sexton,	600	25.
To John Osborn, Do	600	28.
To Thomas Branch, ferriages,	1,200	48.
To Peter Jefferson, Son and Ex'r. of Thomas Jefferson, and to field Jefferson, Brother to the said Peter Jefferson, for ferriages,	1,200	48.
To Joseph Wilkinson, for Ann Hewett,	1,200	48.
To the Church wardens for the floor, viz :		
To Abraham Robinson,	1,400	
To Joseph Williamson,	800	
To Elianos Clerk, for keeping John Spring five weeks,	300	
To Sufanna Woodcocke, for her son,	200	
To Hutchins Burton, for Sarah Rawlins,	700	28.
To John Herbert,	1,000	40.

To Capt ^e Joseph Royal, for Sufanna Wakefield,	800	32
To Elianor Williams, as Sexton, for her Own Use,	600	24
To the Church wardens for Bread and Wine last year,	400	
To Michael Taylor, for John Littleworth,	400	
To Abraham Bayley, for keeping John Littleworth two months,	133	
To the Church-wardens for bread and Wine this Year,	100	
To Sufanna Ware, for curing John West's hand,	800	
To Mary Harding, for curing Mary Burnet of a Burn,	240	
To Mary Harding, for keeping Mary Burnet three Months,	300	
To John Synock, for putting up the Glafs of the Church Winder,	10	
To the Reverend James Keith, 14 ³ / ₄ Et. on his Sallary,	2,616	
To the Church-warden, toward repairing the Chapple,	1,000	
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	38,779	1,343

Ordered,

That William Randolph, Esq, and Mr. Edward Booker, be appointed Church-wardens.

Ordered,

That Elianor Williams be continued as Sexton of the Chapple

Ordered,

Sackfield Brewer be appointed Reader in the Chapple, Richard Williams being absconded from his duty therein.

Ordered,

That the Vestry do meet at the Court House, on Saturday next, to proportion the Parish Levy, this Vestry not to be able

to do the same, by reason, the list of Tithables is not Complete.

JAMES KEITH.

AT A VESTRY, held for the Parish of HENRICO, in the county of Henrico, November the Second, in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and thirty-one,

Present :

The Reverend James Keith,	
Francis Epps,	Richard Randolph,
Bowler Eocke,	Joseph Mayo,
John Bolling,	John Worsham,
Edward Booker,	James Powel Cocke.
and	

<i>Henrico Parish,</i>	<i>Dr.</i>
To Brought forward,	38,779 1,343
To Capt ^e Joseph Royal, for Eight Insolvents, at 39 lbs. Tob'o,	272
To Seth Ward, for Insolvents,	420
To Capt ^e Joseph Royal, as p^{a} acc't,	512
To Edward Bennett, for a Levy over charged in the year 1729,	39
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	40,022
Salary at 4 lbs. p^{a} Ct.,	1,601
Cask,	1,343
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Balance due to the Parish,	43,012 46
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	43,012
<i>Henrico Parish,</i>	<i>Cr.</i>
By Joseph Royal, for a ballance due in the Year 1729,	110
By " for " due in the Year 1730,	62
By 1680 Tithables at 25½ lbs Tb'o p^{a} poll,	42,840
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	43,012

Ordered,

That Capt^e Henry Anderfon do receive, According to Law, of Every Tithable person Within the parish, twenty-five pounds and a half of tobacco being the parish Levy for this year, and that he pay the Several Allowances before mentioned to the respective persons to whom the same are due.

JAMES KEITH

AT A VESTRY held for the parish of HENRICO, at Curles Church the thirteenth day of October, in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and thirty-two.

Present.

The Reverend Mr. James Keith,

William Randolph,
Richard Randolph,
Bowler Cocke,
James Powel Cocke,
William Worsham,

Francis Eppes,
Joseph Royal,
Edward Booker,
John Worsham,
John Bolling.

<i>Henrico Parish.</i>	<i>Dr.</i>	
To the Reverend Mr James Keith,	16,000	640
To William Perkins, Reader,	2,000	80
To Sackfield Brewer, Do.	2,000	80
To Charles Griffith, Do.	2,000	80
To Ditto, Elerk of the Vestry,	500	20
To John Hobson, Sexton,	600	24
To Thomas Branch, for fferriage,	1,200	48
To ffield Jefferson, for Do.	120	48
To Joseph Wilkinson for keeping Ann Hewitt seven months,	700	28
To the Church Wardens for the Poor, viz:		
To Abraham Robinson,	1,400	50
To Richard Wood for keeping Joseph Williamfon,	800	32
To Elianor Williams, Sexton of the Chapple,	600	24
To Sufanna Wood for keeping her son,	1,200	48
To Hutehias Barton for keeping Sarah Rawlins,	700	28

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

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To Church wardens for bread and Wine,	400	
To 14 lb. 3 ^d ct. on Mr. Keith's Sallary,	2,616	
To Capt. Joseph Royal under cask in Eight Insolvents last year,	40	
To William Pardue,	600	24
To Elizabeth Bargeff for keeping Ann Bryant's child one year, ending the 18th December next,	800	
To Thomas Osborne, Jun'r, for keeping a Bas- tard Child a year, ending the first day of february next,	800	
To James Franklin for keeping Alice Bryant,	484	
To Philip Smith for keeping a Bastard Child six months, ending the twenty-third day of Octob'r,	400	
To Ralph Jackson for keeping two of Robert Blakeley's children,	250	
To Joseph Watfon for keeping a bastard child three months,		
To Michael Taylor for keeping John Worth a year,	700	28
To Conveniency for Do. at 14 3 ^d ct.	98	
To William Ligon for keeping Mary Dundan,	600	24
To Conveniency for Do. at 14 3 ^d ct.,	84	
To Hays Whitloe for keeping William Weather one year,	700	
To Conveniency for Do. at 14 3 ^d ct.,	98	
To the Church wardens for the use of John Tanner,	500	
To Joseph Wilkinfon for burying Ann Hewet, and other charges in her sickness,	310	
To Elianor Clark for cureing and keeping Su- fanna Wakefield two months,	800	
To Joseph Royal for keeping Sufanna Wake- field,	500	
To John Nash for Insolvents, and twice listd persons, and an Error in Casting up one thoufand pounds of tobacco in last levy,	1,419	

To William Randolph, Esq., towards two Surplus' and two Common Prayer Books,	2,500	
To William Cocke for 14 Insolvents, and persons twice lifted,	{ 406 281	
To John Smyth, a Grandson of Humphrey Smyth, to be paid to the Church wardens,	300	
To Capt. Joseph Royal for John Higdin's parish levy,	30	
To Capt. Joseph Royal for Conveniency on his Acc't last year,	71	
To John Smart for a levy last year,	25½	
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	47,437½	1364
Sallary at 4 ¢ ct.,	1,897½	
Cask,	1,364	
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	50,699	
Balance due to the Parish,	213	
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	50,912	
<i>Henrico Parish,</i>	<i>Gr.</i>	
By 1,754 Tithables, at 29 lbs. of Tob'o ¢ poll,	50,866	
By the last year ballance due from the Collector,	46	
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	50,912	

Richard Wood applying to this Vestry for a Maintainance of Joseph Williamson, an Idiot, and the Vestry being informed that he hath a Right to a Tract of land, containing about three hundred acres, which is unpatented, they are of Opinion the Value of said Tract of Land Ought to be Apply'd for the Maintenance of the said Joseph Williamson.

Whereupon the said Richard agrees to keep the said Joseph for four years in Consideration that the Land may be granted to William Law to the said Joseph, which this Vestry think reasonable, and humbly represent it to the Governor and Council for the Grant Accordingly.

Ordered that Capt. Henry Anderion do receive according to Law of Every tithable person within this parish twenty-Nine pounds of Tobacco, being the parish levy for this year—and that he pay the severall allowances above Mentioned to the respective persons to whom the same are due, for which Maj'r Richard Randolph and Capt. James Powel Cocke become Securitys.

Ordered,

That Capt. John Worsham be appointed Church-warden in the room of Mr. Edward Booker.

JAMES KEITH.

AT A VESTRY held the Second day of March, in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Seven hundred and thirty-two.

Present.

The Reverend Mr. James Keith.

William Randolph,	Richard Randolph,
Joseph Royal,	Bowler Cocke,
James Powel Cocke,	John Worsham,
and William Worsham.	

Charles Griffith, Reader of the lower Church in this parish being dead, Stephen Dewey is appointed to succeed him.

Ordered,

That Stephen Dewey be appointed Clerk of the Vestry, in the Room of Charles Griffith, deceased.

Mr. Edward Booker, one of the Vestry of this Parish being removed, Mr. Arthur Moseley is appointed to succeed him.

JAMES KEITH, *Minister.*

AT A VESTRY held for Henrico parish, the twelfth day of Oct'r., in the Year of Our Lord One Thousand Seven hundred and thirty-three.

Present.

William Randolph, Esq'r,	Francis Eppes,
Bowler Cocke,	James Powel Cocke,
John Worsham,	William Worsham.

And Mr. Arthur Moseley being at the last Vestry elected a

Vestryman for Henrico parish, now takes an Oath to Execute that Office truly and to be Conformable to the Doctrines and Discipline of the Church of England.

Ordered,

That the Vestry proceed to the laying of the Parish levy.

<i>Henrico Parish,</i>	<i>Dr.</i>	
To the Reverend Mr. James Keith, Minister,	16,000	640
To William Perkins, one of the Readers,	2,000	80
To field Brown Do.	2,000	80
Eales Do. a Year ending the Second of March next,	2,000	80
To Stephen Dewey, Clerk of the Vestry, a Year ending the Second of March next,	500	20
To John Hobson, Sexton,	600	24
To John Osborn Do.	600	24
To Thomas Branch for Sierriage,	1,200	48
To field Jefferson for Do.	1,200	48
To the Church-wardens for the poor,		
To Abraham Robinson,	1,400	56
Woodcocke for keeping her son,	1,200	48
To Hutchins Burton, for keeping Sufanna Rawlins,	700	28
To Joseph Ligon for keeping Littleworth three months and a half, and burying him,	536	22
To for the time he kept him,	100	
To Hutchins Barton for keeping Sufanna Rolins,	700	28
To Mary North for keeping Sufanna Burnett,	1,000	40
To Robert Bullington for keeping William Watkins,	800	28
To 14 ¢ ct. for Convenience on Do.	112	
To Thomas Gibson for keeping William Hobby 5½ Months,	350	28
To James Aikin, Jun'r., for keeping said Hobby five weeks,	125	

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

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To Abel Turner for keeping James Wood four Months, Ending Nov'r Twelft next,	266	10
To Richard Randolph, Gent. for and Ells oz-nabs. for Wm. Hobby,	60	
To 4 p ct. for Conveniency,	8	
To William Pride for keeping Jas. Wood 2 Months, and for Some Cloaths for the said Wood,	282	11
To the Church-wardens for Bread and Wine,	400	
To 14 p ct. on Mr. Keith's Sallary for Conveniency,	2,616	
To Sarah Herbert for burying John Frayser,	200	
To John Bolling, Gent. for keeping and Burying John Hance,	200	
To Ezekiel Sudbury for Burying Henry Exon,	200	
To Seth Ward for Burying John Warwick,	80	
Due to the Collectors for Insolvens and perfons twice lifted,	250	
To field Jefferfon for Siting up horfe blocks at the Church,	100	
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	36,615	129
Sallary at 4 p ct.	1,517	
Cask,	1,290	
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	39,422	129
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	39,226	
	196	
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	39,442	

Ordered,

That John Nash and William Fuller do receive according to Law of every Tithable perfon within this parish Twenty-two pounds of Tobacco, being the parish levy for this year, and that they pay the feveral allowances before mentioned to the refpective perfons to whom Same are Due. Bowler Cocke and Jas. Powel Cocke Gent. Securities.

Ordered,

That the resignation of Mr. James Keith¹⁰ as Minister of this Parish be received.

Ordered,

That the Church Wardens of this parish in behalf of the Vestry do make a representation hereof to the Governor.

WILLIAM RANDOLPH, *Ch. War'n.*

AT A VESTRY held at Curl's Church, for Henrico Parish, ye 17th day of June, 1735.

Present.

William Randolph, Esq'r, Richard Randolph, Bowler Cocke and James Powell Cocke, Gent. Vestrymen.

Pursuant to the directions of an Act of Assembly, directing the Dividing of Henrico parish, the freeholders and housekeepers present do unanimously Elect Edward Curd, John Williamson, James Cocke, John Povall and Robt. Mosby, which with ye Vestrymen, formerly of this parish, make up the number twelve, who take the Oaths and Subscribe ye Declarations as Vestrymen.

I do Sincerely promise and Swear to be Conformable to the Doctrine and Discipline of the Church of England, June ye 17th, 1735.

EDWARD CURD,
JOHN WILLIAMSON,
JAMES COCKE,
JOHN POVALL,
ROBERT MOSBY,
WILLIAM FULLER.

Order.

James powel Cocke and James Cocke Gent. are Ellected Church Wardens for this parish.

The Vestry agree that Mr. Zach. Brook do preach a day in every fifth week at the falls Chappel, and Mr. David Mosson¹¹ every fifth Sunday at the Church, for which they are to be Allowed four hundred pounds of Tob'o p. Sermon.

Sackville Brewer is continued Reader of this Church and Clerk of ye Vestry.

John Eals is continued Reader of ye Chappel.
 John Hobson is continued Sexton of this Church.
 Elenor Williams is continued Sexton at ye Chappel.

AT A VESTRY held at Curl's Church Sunday Morning
 September ye. 2nd, 1735.

Present.

James Powel Cocke, James Cocke, Richard Randolph, John Redford, Bowler Cocke, John Bolling, Edward Curd, John Povall, John Williamson and Robt. Mosby Gent., Vestrymen.

The Rev'd Mr. Anthony Gavin produces a letter from the Hon'ble William Gooch, Esqr., his Maj's Lieut. Governor of this Colony, and another from the Rev'd James Blair, Commissary, directed to the Church Wardens and Gent. of the Vestry, recommending the said Mr. Gavin to the care of this Parish, which are Read, and the Vestry being desirous of first hearing him performe the Office of his Ministerial function, do suspend their Opinion as to his reception till after Sermon, when they do agree to meet again.

Whereas, the Rev'd Anthony Gavin hath performed his office both in reading and preaching to the General Satisfaction and appreciation of the Vestry, it is thereupon unanimously agreed that he be received and entertained as Minister of this Parish. And it is thereupon Ordered that the Church Wardens do Answer the Governor's and Commissary's letters, and inform them of the proceedings herein.

JAMES POWEL COCKE,
Church Warden.

AT A VESTRY held at Curl's Church, for Henrico parish,
 for laying the parish levy, November the 24th, 1735.

Present.

The Rev'd Anthony Gavin, Min'r, James Powel Cocke and James Cock, Church-wardens, William Randolph, Esqr., Richard Randolph, John Redford, Bowler Cocke, John Bolling, Edward Curd, and John Williamson Gent. Vestrymen.

<i>Henrico Parish,</i>	<i>Dr.</i>	
	<i>Tobacco.</i>	<i>Cas'.</i>
To Ballance due to the Collector last year,	196	
To Mr. Mossion for preaching four Sermons, at 500 ¢,	2,000	
To Do. for three Sermons, at 400,	1,200	
To 14 ¢ ct. on said 1,200 for Conveniency,	168	
To John Ealls, Reader at Chappell,	2,000	80
To Sackvil Brewer, Reader,	2,000	80
To Do. as Clerk of the Vestry,	500	20
To John Hobson, Sexton,	600	24
To Elenor Williams Do. at Chappell,	600	24
To the Church-wardens for Bread and Wine,	400	
To Sufanna Woodcock for keeping her Son,	1,200	48
To Collector on Northside for Insolvents Acc't,	418	
To Do. for Northside of James River for Do.	264	
To William perkins, Reader for Seven Months,	1,167	46
To John Osborn, Sexton for Seven Months,	350	14
To Mr. Brook for preaching at the Chappell,	1,600	
To Thomas Branch yr. proportion of Seven Months ferriage,	381	14
To Walter Scot for keeping John Lyle,	400	
To Robert Bullington for keeping and burying Wm. Withers,	1,200	
To William Randolph, Effqr., for Beding for said Withers,	168	
To 14 ¢ cent. on Do. for Conveniency,	1,680	
To ye Clerk of the Court for Copping Two Laws,	80	
To Elenor Turner for keeping James Wood,	150	
To Ralph Jackson for keeping Wm. Hobby,	350	
To Hutchins Barton for keeping Sufanna Rollins,	700	28
To Mary North for keeping Sufanna Burnet,	1,000	40
To Mr. Anthony Gavin, pt. of his first year's Sallary,	12,000	480
To 14 ¢ cent. on Do. for Conveniency,	1,680	

To Lemmon Childers for burying West, and taking care of his Child,	600	
To Elizabeth Burges for keeping John Lyle two years,	1,600	
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Cask,	912	
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Commiffion at 4 ¢ cent,	1,452	
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<i>Henrico Parish,</i>	<i>Cr.</i>	
By Tobacco Levy'd in Dale parish Neck,	4,136	
By 1,013 Tithables, at 33 pounds Tobacco ¢ pole,	33,429	
Ballance due to the Collector,	175	
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It is ordered that John Nash, Gent, do receive of every Tithable person of this parish Thirty-three pounds of Tobacco, being the parish Levey for this year; and if any person refuses to pay the same he is to Distrain for it, and pay unto each parish creditor respectively their several sums of Tobacco as in the proportions of the said Levy are mentioned, for the performance of which the said John Nash Enters into Bond, Bowler Cocke and John Bolling, Gent. Securitys.

Mr. William Fuller is Chossen a Vestryman in the Room of Joseph Mayo, Gent. who is willing to resign the place the said fuller take the Oaths as A Vestryman, and Signs the Declaration accordingly.
present William Fuller.

on the Motion of mr. Anthony Gavin, the Vestry do agree to make all necessary Reparations to the Gleebe House, and to build a Kitchen Twenty-four feet long and Sixteen feet broad, to be under-plined with Brick, and an inside Brick Chimney.

Richard Randolph and Edward Curd, Gent. are appointed to

view the Chappel and report what reparations and Additions are thereunto wanting.

It is ordered that Mr. John Nafh, Collector of this parish do receive of every Tithable in the said parish Six pence Curr't. money, or five pounds of Tobacco, to be employ'd towards repairing the Chappel.

Ant. Gavin, Min'r., Jas. powel Cocke, James Cocke, Church Wardens.

AT A VESTRY held at Curl's Church, for Henrico parish, the Sixth day of December, Ano. 1735.

Present.

James powel Cocke, James Cocke, Church Wardens ; William Randolph, Esqr., Richard Randolph, Bowler Cocke, John Redford, John povall, John Williamfon, Robert Mosby and William Fuller, Gent., Vestrymen.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this Colony, directing the manner of processioning every person's Land, and the following precinct are laid out and Directed to be processioned as follows, Viz :

In Obedience to an Act of Assembly of this Colony, and in pursuance of an order of Henrico County Court, made at a Court held for the said County the first day of December, anno 1735 : The Vestry do order that John Ellis, William Ellis and Abraham Childers, with the Assistance of the Neighboring freeholders, do some time before the last day of March Next coming, goe in procession and renew the bounds of all the Land adjoining on James River, between Westham and the upper bounds of the parish, to Extend back as far as Gordin's Road, that leads up to Hocketts ; and that the said John Ellis, William Ellis and Abraham Childers, (or any two of them,) do take and return to this parish Vestry an Account of every person's Land they shall procession, and of ye persons present at the same, and of what Lands in their precinct they shall fail to procession, and of the particular reason of such failure.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this Colony, and in Obedience to an Order of Henrico County Court, made at a Court held for the said County the first day of December, ano. 1735. The Vestry do order that Joseph parsons, Thomas

Owen, and William Brittain, with the Assistance of ye Neighboring freeholders, do Sometime before the lastt day of March Next coming, go in proceffion and renew the bounds of all the Land from William Gordin's on the back Road to the head of ye parish, thence to the Main Swamp so Down to Turner's Run, thence up Hungary Branch to the head of upland Brook, thence to Gordin's aforesaid ; and that the said Joseph parson, Thomas owin and William Britain, (or any two of them,) do take and return to this parish Vestry an account of every person's land they shall proceffion, and of the persons present at the Same, and all lands in their precinct they shall fail to proceffion, and of the particular reason of such failure.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this Colony, and in Obedience to an order of Henrico County Court, made at a Court held for the said County the first day of December, ano. 1735 : The Vestry do order that John Watson, John Williamson and Wm. patman, with the Assistance of the Neighboring free holders, do Sometime before the last day of March Next coming, goe in proceffion and renew the bounds of all the lands between upland Brook and Chickahominy Swamp, and that the said John Watson, John Williamson and William patman, (or any two of them,) do take and return to this parish Vestry an Account of every person's land they shall proceffion, and of the persons present at the Same, and of what Land in their precinct they shall Fail to proceffion, and of the particular Reason of Such Failure.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this Colony in Obedience to an Order of Henrico County Court, made at a Court held for the Said County the first day of December, ano. 1735 : The Vestry do order that Joel Walker, Henry Stokes and John Smith, with the Assistance of the Neighboring freeholders, do Sometime before the last day of March Next coming, goe in proceffion and renew the bounds of all lands between Chickahominy Swamp and the Brook Road, as low as Mary Cannon's and Smith's Mill ; and that the said Joel Walker, Henry Stokes and John Smith, (or any two of them,) do take and return to this parish Vestry and Account of every person's land they shall proceffion, and of the persons present at the same, and of what land in their precincts they shall fail to proceffion, and the particular reason of such failure.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this Colony, and in Obedience to an order of Henrico County Court, made at a Court held for the said County the first day of December, ano. 1735: The Vestry do order that Thomas Wood, Hutchins burton and John price, with the Assistance of the Neighboring freeholders do Sometime before the last day of March Next coming, go in procession and Renew the bounds of all lands adjoining on the River between Gilly's Creek and Westham, to Extend back as far as Mary Cannon's and William Gordin's, and that the said Thomas Wood, Hutchins Burton and John price, (or any two of them,) do take and return to this parish Vestry an Account of every person's land they shall procession, and of the persons present at ye Same, and of what land in their precincts they shall fail to procession, and the particular reason of Such failure.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this Colony, and in Obedience to an Order of Henrico County Court, at a Court held for the said County, the first day of December, ano. 1735: The Vestry do order that William Lewis, Henry Hatcher and Daniel price, with the Assistance of the Neighboring freeholders, do Sometime before the last day of March Next coming, go in procession and renew the bounds of all lands from the Mouth of Gilley's Creek to William Lewis's, on Chickahominy Swamp, thence up the said Swamp to Smith's mill, thence to Mary Cannon's, to the place first Mentioned, and that ye said Wm. Lewis, Henry Hatcher and Daniel price, (or any two of them,) do take and return to this parish Vestry an Account of every person's Land they shall procession, and the persons present at the Same, and of what land in their precinct they shall fail to procession, and the particular reason of such failure.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this Colony, and in obedience to an order of Henrico County Court, held for the said County, the first day of December, ano. 1735: The Vestry do order that John Giles, Thomas Mosby and John Allday, with the Assistance of the Neighboring freeholders, do Sometime before the last day of March Next coming, goe in procession, and renew the bounds of all Lands adjoining on the River between Gilly's Creek and Cornealiouf's, Extending back as far as ye Seven pines Road, as low as the Southern Branch

Bridge, and that the said John Giles, John Aulday and Thomas Mosby, (or any two of them,) do take and return to this parish Vestry, an account of every person's Land they shall proceffion, and ye persons present at the Same, and of what Land in their precinct they shall fail to proceffion, and the particular reasons of such failure.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this Colony, and in Obedience to an order of Henrico County Court, Made at a Court for the Said County, the first day of December, ano. 1735: The Vestry do order that John Stuart, Ewd. Cox and Benjamin Burton, with ye Assistance of the Neighboring free holders, do Sometime before the last day of March Next coming, goe in proceffion and renew the bounds of all lands included, Cornelius's, Twomile Creek, ye Main Roade, And that the Said John Stuart, Edward Cox and Benjamin Burton, or any two of them, do take and return to this parish Vestry an Account of every persons Land they shall proceffion, and the persons present at the Same, and of what Land they shall fail to proceffion, and the particular Reason of Such failure.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this Colony, and in obedience to an order of Henrico County Court, at a Court held for the said County, the first day of December, ano. 1735: The Vestry order that John Redford, junr., Abraham Childers and Henry Sharp, with the Assistance of the Neighboring free holders, do Sometime before the last of March Next coming, go in proceffion and renew the bounds of all the Lands between Two Mile Creek, four mile Creek and the main Road, and that the Said John Redford, Henry Sharp and Abraham Childers, (or any two of them,) do take and return to this parish Vestry an Account of every person's Land they shall proceffion, and the persons present, and of what land in their precincts they shall fail to proceffion, and the particular reason of such failure.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this Colony, and in Obedience to an order of Henrico County Court, and at a Court held for ye Said County, the first day of December, ano. 1735: The Vestry do order that Joseph Adkins, William Whitloe and Darby Enroughty, with the Assistance of the Neighboring freeholders, Sometime before the last day of March Next Coming, go in proceffion and renew the bounds of all Lands between

Corneliuf's and four Mile Creek, from ye Main Road back as far as far as the Seven pines Road, and that the Said Joseph Adkins, William Whitloe, and Darby Enroughty,¹² (or any two of them,) do take and return to this parish Vestry an account of all lands by them proffessioned, and the person present at the same, and of What Land they shall fail to proceffion in their precinct, and the particular reason of such failure.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this Colony, in Obedience to an order of Henrico County Court, made at a Court held for the Said County, the first day of December, ano. 1735: The Vestry do order that Edward Allen, John Ferris and Richard Williamfon, with the Assistance of ye Neighboring free holders, do Sometime before the last day of the March Next Coming, goe in proceffion and Renew the bounds of all lands between William Lewif's, Bore's Swamp, the Main Swamp, and the Seven pines Road, and the Edward Allen, John Ferris and Richard Williamfon, or any two of the them, do take and return to the Vestry of this parish an account of every person's Land they shall proceffion, and the persons present at the Same, and of all land they shall fail to proceffion in their precinct, and the particular reason of such failure.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this Colony, and in obedience to the order of Henrico County Court, made at a Court held for ye said County, this first day of December, Ano. 1735: The Vestry do order that John Cocke, Gerrard Ellifon and Giles Carter, with the Assistance of the Neighboring free holders, do Sometime before the last day of March Next coming, goe in proceffion and renew the lands of all Lands from Bore Swamp, on Chickahominy Swamp, to the lower bounds of ye parish, thence Southerly to the place where the long bridge road parts with Bottom Bridge Road, and that the said John Cocke, Gerrard Ellifon and Giles Cocke, (or any two of them,) do take and return to their parish Vestry an account of every person's Lands by them proceffioned, and the persons present at the Same, and of all Land in their precinct they Shall fail to proceffion, and the particular reasons of Such failure.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this Colony, and in Obedience to an order of Henrico County Court, Made at a Court

for the Said County, the first day of December, Ano. 1735: The Vestry do order that Edward Goode, John Hobson and Samuel Gathright, with the Assistance of the Neighboring free holders, do Sometime before the last day of March Next Coming, goe in procession and renew ye bounds of all land between Between Baily's run and four mile Creek, as far as the Road that leads from Chickahominy Swamp to Varina, and that the said Edward Goode, John Hobson and Samuel Gathright, or any two of them, do take & return to this parish Vestry an Account of all the Lands they Shall procession, and the persons present at the Same, and of all land in their precinct they shall fail to procession, and the particular reasons of Such failure.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this Colony, and in Obedience to an Order of Henrico County Court, Made at a Court held for ye County aforesaid, the first day of December, Ano. 1735: The Vestry do order that Thomas pleasant, Steven Woodson and Charles floyd, with the Assistance of the Neighboring free holders, do Sometime before the last day of March Next coming, go in procession and renew the bounds of all lands between Baily's Run and the lower bound of the parish, to Extend back as far as Western Run, and the said Tho. pleasants, Steven Woodson and Charles floyd, or any two of them, do take and return to this parish Vestry an Account of every person's land they shall procession, and the persons present at the Same, and of all land in their precinct they shall fail to procession, and the particular reason of such failure.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this Colony, and in Obedience to an Order of Henrico County Court, made at a Court held for ye County aforesaid, the first day of December, 1735: The Vestry do order that William Porter, Junr., John Warriner and Stephen Floyd, with the Assistance of the free holders and Neighbors, do Sometime before the last day of March Next Coming, goe in procession and renew the bounds of all Land from the Western Run to the outward precinct on Chickahominy Swamp, and that the said William Porter, John Warriner and Steven Floyd, (or any two of them,) do take and return to this parish Vestry An Account of every person's land they shall procession, and the persons present at the Same, and of all Land in their precincts they shall fail to procession, and the particular Reason of Such failure.

Pursuant to an Order of Vestry, made at a Vestry held for Henrico parish the sixth day of December, ano. Dom. 1735, Directing the processioning of every person's Land within the said parish, The Several processioners appointed do make Return of their proceedings within their respective precincts as follows, viz:

In obedience to this within order we have processioned all the Lands within our precinct, Excepting William Adkins, living in Goochland County & never appeared; Thomas Pleasants and Mary Mosby, Orphants, and John Watkins and Ann Daniel, We have returned to the Church Wardens, given under our hands this 18 day of March, 1735.

JOHN WATSON,
JOHN WILLIAMSON,
WILLIAM PATMAN.

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Processioned Obadiah Smith's land, with his Consent, himself being present.

Processioned Mary Cannon's Land, with her Consent.

Processioned Gilly Grew Marrin's Land, with his Consent.

Processioned Luke Smith's Land, he being present.

Processioned Joseph Pleasants' Land, he being present.

Processioned John Pleasants' Land, he being present.

Processioned William Hill's Land, he being present.

Processioned Robert Sharp's Land, he being present.

Processioned John Britain's Land, he being present.

Processioned William Ferriffe's Land, he being present.

Processioned Robert Morriff's Land, he being present.

Processioned part of Thomas Williamson's Line.

By JOELL WALKER,
HENRY STOKES,
JOHN SMITH.

Copy Test.

Pursuant to an Order of Vestry, held for Henrico parish ye 6 day of Dec'r, 1735, we have processioned the Lands ordered us by the Vestry, which are as followeth, viz: processioned the

Line of Richard Levens and Benjamin Burton; also the line of Benjamin Burton and John Cox; John Cox and John Whitlo's line; John Whitlo's and William Whitlo's line; James Whitlo's and William Whitlo's line; James Whitlo's Back line; Darby Enrusty and John Scott's line; Darby Enrusty and Abraham Childers' line; Larner Bradshaw and Joseph Adkins' line; Abraham Childers and Joseph Adkins' line; Abraham Childers and John Scott's line; Joseph Adkins, Jane Scott's line; Jane Scott and Frayzer's line; Joseph Adkins and John Brion's line; John Brion and Frayzer's line; John Brion and Larner Bradshaw Line; all which Lines we have Renewed in presence of the parties owning the said Lands. Also we have proceffioned John Cox and Richard Renard Line; And William Whitlo and Richard Renard Line; John Cox and William Whitlo being present, and Miell Turpin in behalf of ye said Renard; also we proceffioned the Lines of James and Thomas pleafant's line: William Whitlo and Thomas pleafant's line, Darby Enrusty and Thomas pleafant's line; John and Benj. Scott and Thomas pleafant's Line; all the parties being present at the renewing of the bounds aforefaid, (Thomas pleafant only Excepted,) he not having notice. Joseph Mayo's Land not proceffioned occasioned by his not Attending us there the Time appointed. We also renewed William Burton's Line, Which is all the patiented lands in the precinct. Ordered as ¶ the Vestry above Mentioned.

Test:

Certified ¶ WM. WHITLO,
JOS. ATKINS.

In Obedience to an Order of the Vestry of this parish, and according to the directions of an Act of Assembly entitled an Act for Settling the titles and bounds of Land and for preventing unlawful shooting & Ranging thereupon. We, the Subscribers, having gon in proceffion of the Several Lands within our precinct, as by order dated Dec'r ye 6, 1735, with the freeholders followeth, viz:

Theodric Carter, his Land proceffioned.	
John Webb,	Do.
Garrard Ellyfon,	Do.

John Spear,	his land proceffioned
Sam Bugg,	Do.
Francis Brothers,	Do.
Francis Amos,	Do.
John Moss,	Do.
William Clarke,	Do.
Robert Ferris,	Do.
William Ferris, Ju'r,	Do.
William Ferris, Sen'r,	Do.
Edward Goode,	Do.
Ann Austin,	Do.
John Bottom in behalf of	
Philamone Smith,	Do.
Richard Truman, Jr.,	Do.
John Bottom,	Do.
Richard Truman, Ju'r, his line not to be found below Boar Swp.	
Michael Hartwell,	Do.
John Roper,	Do.
Thomas Watkins,	Do.
Richard More,	Do.

Part of John Cock's Land not proceffioned by Reason of Thomas Pleasants failing to appear. The lines of the Lands between James powel Cocke, and John Robertfon not being found, The lines between James powel Cocke and John Hales not agreed on. John Robertfon, part of his lines not to be found. Edward Mossby refuses to proceffion part of the Land of Thomas Epps, proceffioned in our precinct; the Lines between John Cocke and Giles Carter* that is in the County. Given under our hands ye last day of March, 1736.

Teff:

JNO. COCKE,
GILES CARTER,
GAR'D ELLYSON.

This is to certifie that William Lewis, Henry Hatcher and Daniel Price, with the Assistance of ye Neighboring freeholders hath renewed all the lines in our precinct according to the Order, Except the line of Joseph Watfon, which can't be found,

and the Land that we have already Returned to the Church Warden.

Copy Test :

WILLIAM LEWIS,
DANIEL PRICE,
HENRY HATCHER.

This is to Certifie that we have proceffioned all the Lands in our precinct by me, Thomas Wood, and Jno. Price and Huth's Burton.

This is to Certifie that Edmond Allen, John Faris, Richard Williamfon, with the Affistance of the Neighboring freeholders, hath renewed all the Lines in our precinct, Except a Line between Capt. James Cocke and Thomas Matthews, and the reason it was not proceffioned Capt. Cocke never came to proceffion, and a Outline of Joseph Watfon's, and the reason that it was not proceffioned, the line could not be found, and every perfon present being at the same time.

January ye 1st, 1735-6. Proceffioned the following lines Between John Stweed and William Finney ; Between William Finney and Judith Cocke. January ye 12, Between Mr. Joseph Mayo and Wilbsbier Marrien ; between Mr. Mayo and James Frankling ; Between Thomas Robertfon and Eln'r Williams ; Between Mr. Joseph Mayo and Thomas Robertfon. January ye 15th, Between James Frankling and Thomas Robertfon ; Between Thomas Robertfon and William Burton ; William Burton and Alex'r Robertfon and Jofeph Mayo ; Between Alexander Robertfon and Abram and George Abny. January 16, Between Judith Cocke and Thomas Baily ; John Giles and Charles Belew ; Between Thomas Baily, John Giles and Charlet Belew ; Between Nicholas Giles and John Allday. Jan'y 28, Between John Giles, Thomas Mosley ; Between Thomas Allday and John Giles. March ye 8th, Between Collo. William Randolph and Francis Marrin. March ye 11th. Between Colo. William Randolph, John Allday, Thos. Mosley. The Lines between Brazner Cocke and Francis Morrin, and between Fran's Marrin and Warham

Easley, lying obscure, do agree that the Surveyor shall run them.

Copy Test :

JOHN GILES,
JOHN ALLDAY.

THE ORDER Executed in processioning and returning processioned the lines of Martha Hambleton, present ; William Foard and John Mosley processioned John Boo land, present ; John Mosby processioned William Turner's Land, present ; David Atkines and John Mosby processioned the Land of Will'm Foard, present ; Mosby and John foard processioned the land of John Shepherd, present ; John Johnson and James Bohannah. Jacob Shepherd's Land processioned, present ; John Johnson and John Shepherd processioned the Land of Rob't Morris, present ; Matthew Hutchinson and John Shepherd, David adkin's Land, present ; William ford and John Mosby processioned the Land of Joseph Parsons, present ; Robert Mosby and John Brumfield processioned William Britain's Land, present ; Robert Mosley and Henry Britain processioned Isaac Winstons's Land, present ; Henry Britain and Robert Mosby processioned the Land Robert Mosby, present ; Isaac Winstons and Henry Britains processioned the Land of Ralph Hunt and John Royal, present ; Robert Mosby and John Wheeler processioned the Land of Obadiah Smith, present ; Thomas Conway and James Conway processioned the Land of Michael Hilton, present ; John Wheeler, Thomas Conway, Obadiah Smith, processioned Matthew Hutchinson Land, present ; John Wheeler and John Royall processioned the Land of Thomas Conway and Nich's Prior, present ; James Conway and Edward price and Walter Clarke, processioned the Land of James Conway and Benjamin Cannon, and Mary Walters, present ; Thomas Conway and Edward prior and Charles Cannon, processioned the Land of Simon Ligon, present ; William Harler and John Martin processioned John Martin's, present ; Simon Ligon and William Street processioned the land of Robert Timson, present ; John Tomson and William Harlow processioned the Land of Robert Hardwick, present ; Thomas Fenton and John North, processioned the land of John North, present ; Robert Hardwick and Ed-

ward Tommas, proceffioned Thomas fentons, present ; William Street and Robert Hardwick proceffioned William Harlo's, present ; Simon Ligon proceffioned William Street, present ; John Martin, proceff'd Jacob Roberfon, present ; Charles Cannon and Nich's Prior, proceff'd John Woodfon's Land, present, himself ; proceffioned the land of Abraham Childers, present ; Hutchins, Burton and Thomas Cottral proceffioned Hutchins Burton's and William Gordins', present ; Abram Childers and John Gordin, part of a Tract of Collo. William Randolph's not proceff'd. The Lines not found. Thomas Bootwright Not, he being Absent. Sarah Hews, her Land not proceffioned, No one to fhew us the Lines.

Copy Test :

THOS. OWEN,
WM. BRITAIN,
JOS. PARSONS.

BY VIRTUE of an order of this Vestry of the parish, We, the Subscribers, have gon in procession and renewed the bounds of all those within those limits mencioned in the said order. Several of the Neighboring Free holders, Together with owners of the said Lands being present at the doing of the Same. Those under-mencioned Excepted, Viz.: The Several parts of That dividend of Land formerly belonging to John Cocke in the Low grounds, Not done by Reason none of the owners were present when the Adjacent Lands were proceffioned ; the Lands whereon Henry Irby lived not done for ye Same Reason. The Line between James powell Cocke and Thomas Pleafants was proceffioned, but in the Measuring the head Line of the point, Land there was an Error of Thirty poles in the length of that line. The Course and distance is by the said Cocke and Pleafants agreed on, and between themselves will rectifie the above Mistake. The Line between James Cocke and William Porter, Junior, Not to be found ; and that between the said Cock and John Williams not done for the Same Reason. The partition Lines between Between Richard Randolph and Charles Woodfon ; also that between John Pleafants and the said Woodfon Omitted by Reason ye the Said Lines were very plain and well known, Together with Richard Randolph's Not being present when the Adjacent Land were proceffioned. The

Line between Thos. Pleasants' Land and the Land formerly Benjamin Hatcher's Not don for ye Same Reason. The bounds of the Land that was Charles Holmes, now John Pleasants, Not don, Neither the upper Nor lower line ; the parties Concerned protending to Settle them between them Selves. The Line parting the Land that was formerly Solomon Knibbs and Jas. Hatcher's, not done, there being no line to be found. The head Line of the Said Tract adjoining To Thos. Pleasants', Not done, the parties intending to do it between them Selves. The Line parting the Land of John Bolling, formerly Wm. head's, in like manner to be done.

THOMAS PLEASANTS,
STEPHEN WOODSON,
CHARLES FLOYD.

Copy Teft:

We, the Subscribers, have proceffioned all the lines within our precinct, which is betwixt Baly's Run and four Mile Creek, Except the Line betwixt Edward Goode and Edward Bennet, and Bennet refuse to proceffion that Line and A Line betwixt Edward Goode and Thos. Matthis, which they have agreed to make ; and a line betwixt Wm. Frogmorton and Edward Bennet, we could not find ; and a parcel of Land upon Whitcock Swamp, belonging to Mr. Eppes, who never came to meet us tho, Often required ; and a Line between Capt. James Cocke and John Williams. Cocke never came tho, required.

By us,

EDWARD GOODE.
SAMUEL ∞ GATHRIGHT,
JOHN :++++ HOBSON.

Copy Teft:

The lands Between Two mile Creek, four Mile Creek, and the Main Country Road, Quietly proceffioned, Except between John Redford's and William Parker ; likewise between Abraham Childers and Henry Sharp, but agree to have the lines run by Maj'r John Bowling Quietly.

ABRAHAM CHILDERS,
JOHN REDFORD, JUN'R,
HENRY SHARP.

We, the Subscribers, have processioned all the Land within our precinct; only the Lands belonging to the honourable William Randolph, Esq'r, and mr. William Randolph, Gent., in Goochland, their Lines Not being found. Collo. Richard Randolph nare came to go with us, and his is left undone. Robert Hardwick's, John North's, Thos. Fenton's, George Hardwick, present with the Owners thereof; Thomas Ally, Thos. Jennett's, John Shoemaker, present; Nich's Pryor, Thomas Cosral, each being one with the other; Jacob Robinson's, Benjamin Cannon's, Charles Cannon, present; George Freeman, John Griffin, Thomas Ally, present; part of mr. William Randolph; Gent., in Goochland, being done, which part lies in the Island of Tuckahoe; those being part of Several person's Land left undone by Reason of the Gent's Lines as first Mentioned not being done.

May ye 3, 1736.

Copy Tett:

JOHN ELLIS,
WILL'A ELLIS,
ABRA. CHILDERS.

The lines between John Cocke and William Passons, both agreed in the prefence of Giles Carter and Thos. Jolley. The Line between John Cocke and Joseph Woodson, processioned, and both agreed in prefence of Wm. Porter, Sen'r, John Williams, James Volton. The Line between Joseph Woodson and William Porter, Jun'r, processioned, and both agreed in prefence of William Porter, Sen'r, John Cocke, John Williams, Jane Vaulton. The line between William Porter, Sen'r and Humphrey Smith, processioned, and both agreed in prefence of William Porter, Sen'r. The Line between Francis Gathright and Elizabeth East, processioned, and both agreed in prefence of William Porter, Sen'r and John Williams. The line between John Cocke and Thomas Watkins, processioned, and both agreed in prefence of William Porter, Sen'r. The Line between Thomas Watkins and Joseph Woodson, processioned, and both agreed in prefence of John Cocke and William Porter, Senior. The Line between William Porter, Sen'r and Thos. Watkins, processioned, and both agreed in prefence of John Cocke. The Line between William porter, Sen'r and James Cocke, processioned and agreed. The Line

between Cols. Harrison, and William Lewis, and Thomas Watkins, and Thomas Binford, and Edward Mosby, proceffioned, and agreed in prefence of James powel Cocke, John Cocke, Giles Carter, John Owin. The Line between Charles Floyd and Stephen Floyd, proceffioned and agreed. A Line between Stephen Woodson and William Lewis, proceffioned and agreed. A line between William porter, Sen'r and James Vaulton, agreed. a Line between William Porter, Sen'r, and John Williams, agreed.

The Lines between William Lewis and Thomas Watkins, not renewed, because Thos. Watkins would not appear. a Line between Stephen Floyd and Stephen Woodson, not agreed on. A Line between Wm. Porter, Senior, and James Cocke, Not renewed, because James Cocke did not appear. Francis Rowins' Line not proceffioned, Nobody would appear to do it for him.

Copy Test :

WM. PORTER, JUN'R,
JOHN WORRINER,
STEPHEN FLOYD.

AT A VESTRY held at Curl's Church, for Henrico parish, on Sunday, the 18th July, 1736.

Present.

William Randolph, Bowler Cocke, John Bolling, James Powell Cocke, James Cocke, John Redford, John Powell, Edward Curd, John Williamson and William Fuller, Gent. Vestrymen.

The reverend mr. William Stith¹¹ produces a Letter from the Hon'l William Gooch, Esq'r, his Magisty's Lieut. Governor of the Colony, and another from the rever'd mr. James Blair, Commissary, directed to the Church Wardens and Gent. of the Vestry, recommending the said mr. Stith to the Cure of this parish, which are read, and ye said Mr. Stith hath this Day performed his ministerial function, both in preaching and reading to the General Satisfaction and approbation of the Vestry,

whereupon they do unanimously agree to receive him as Minister of this parish.

Signed by

JAMES POWELL COCKE,
JAMES COCKE,

Church Wardens.

Pursuant to an Order of Vestry, held for Henrico parish the 6 day of December, ano. 1735: We, John Stewart, Edward Cox and Benjamin Burton, being appointed processioners in the precinct between Cornelioussle's two Mile Creek and the Mane County road: In obedience to the said order, we mett on the 9th day of January, and dide proceed to fulfil the said order, viz.:

The bounds of Land between Edward Cox and John Cox, renewed; the Said Edward and John being present, done in presence of Thomas Jordan.

As Also the Bounds of Land Between Edward Cox and Thos. Jordan, the parties being present; renewed in presence of John Cox.

As Also the bounds of land between John Cox and Thos. Jordan, renewed; the partys being present.

As Also the bounds of land between William perkins and Thomas Branch, renewed, the partys being present; done in presence of Arthur Giles.

As Also the Bounds of Land between Thomas Branch and William Burton, renewed, the parties being present; done in presence of William pirkins and Arth'r Giles.

As Also the Bounds of Land between William pirkins and William Burton, renewed, the parties being present; done in presence of Tho. Branch and Art. Giles.

As Also the Bounds of Land between Edward Cox and William pirkin, renew'd, the partys being present; done in presence of Authur Giles.

As Also the bounds of Land between Edward Cox and Sarah Mosley, renewed, the parties being present; done in presence of Wm. Pirkins and Art. Giles.

As Also the bounds of land between Sarah Mosly and Wil-

liam pirkins, renewed, the parties being present ; done in presence of Art. Giles.

As Also the bounds of Land between Thomas Branch and John Taylor, an Orphant, renewed ; William pirkins, his Guardian, and the said Branch being present ; done in presence of Art. Giles.

As Also the bounds of Land between Sarah Mosley and John Taylor, the Said Mosley and William pirkins being present at renewing the same ; done in presence of Arthur Giles and Thomas Pirkins.

As Also the bounds of land between William pirkins and John Taylor, renewed, the Said pirkins being present ; done in presence of Art. Giles.

As Also the bounds of land between William Burton and Samuel Hancock, renewed, the party being present ; done in presence of Thomas Woodcocke.

As Also the bounds of Land between William pirkins and Samuel Hancock, ye Said pirkins being present ; done by the Consent of ye Said Hancocke ; present, Thomas Woodcocke.

As Also the Bounds of Land between Wm. Pirkins and Robert Bullington, renewed, the parties being present ; done in presence of Thos. Woodcocke.

As Also the bounds of land between John Stewart and Judith Cocke, renewed, the partys being present ; done in presence of Thos. Ballow, William Finney, Abraham Baly.

As Also the bounds of land between Judith Cocke and Tabitha Ballou, renew'd, the partys present ; done in presence of Thos. Ballow, Abra. Baly and Wm. Finney.

As Also the bounds of land between Abraham Baly and Tabitha Ballou, renewed, the partys being present ; done in presence of Thomas Ballow and Wm. Finney.

As Also the bounds of land between Benjamin Burton and Wm. Finney, renew'd, the partys being present ; don in presence of Abraham Baly and Thomas Ballow.

As Also the bounds of land between Wm. Finney and Richard Cox, renewed, the partys being present ; Don in presence of Abraham Baly.

As Also the bounds of land between John Cox and Micheal

Turpin, renewed, the parties being present ; don in prefence of of Hays Whitloe.

As Also the bounds of land between John Cox and Benj'a Burton, renewed, the parties being present ; done in prefence of Hais Whitloe.

As Also the bounds of land between William Finney and Michael Turpin, renewed, the parties being present ; Done in prefence of John Cox and Hays Whitloe.

As Also the bounds of land between John Stewart and John Ellis, the said Stewart present ; renewed by consent of the said Ellis, in prefence of Benj. Burton, Junr.

As Also the bounds of L'd Between Francis Epps and Thomas Branch, renewed, the parties being present ; done in prefence of Thos. Branch and Roderick Evans.

As Also the bounds of land between Francis Eppes and Will. Burton, renewed, the parties being present ; don in prefence of Thomas Branch and Roderick Evans.

As Also the bounds of Land between Francis Eppes and John Stewart, renewed, the parties being present ; done in prefence of Roderick Evans.

As Also the bounds of land between Francis Eppes and Samuel Hancock, renewed, the said Hancock being present ; don by ye Consent of ye Sd. Eppes.

As Also the bounds of land between Benja. Burton and Samuel Hancock, renewed ; the parties being present.

As Also the bounds of land between Benja. Burton and John Ellis, renewed, the parties being present ; done in prefence of Abraham Baly.

As Also the bounds of land between William Fuller and Hays Whitloe, renewed, the Said Whitloc being present ; don by Consent of the Said Fuller, in the prefence of Wm. Finney.

As Also the bounds of land between William Fuller and prudence Cox, renewed by Consent of the Said Fuller, in prefence of Wm. Finney and Hays Whitloe.

As Also the bounds of land between Robert Bullington and Thos. Jordan, renewed ; the parties being present.

As Also the bounds of land between William pirkins and Thomas Jordan, renewed, the Said Jordan being present ; don

by Consent of the said pirkins in presence of Robert Bullington.

An Account of Lands not proceffioned, with the particular reasons why they were not proceffioned.

The bounds of land between Edward Cox and John Cox at a place Call'd Wilkinfon's Bottom, not renewed; the parties being present and Willing to proceffion, but no line to be found.

The bounds of land between William Randolph and Edward Cox, not renewed, by reason of the said Randolph's failing to come to renew the Same.

The bounds of land between William Randolph and Thomas Jordan, not renewed, by reason of the said Randolph's failing to come to renew the same.

The bounds of land between William Randolph and Robert Bullington, not renewed, by reason of the said Randolph's failing to come.

The bounds of land between William Randolph and Roderick Urquhart, not renewed, by reason of both parties Absence.

The bounds of land between William Randolph and William parker, not renewed, by reason of the Said Randolph's failing to come to renew the Same.

The bounds of land between William Randolph and the Gleebe Land, not renewed. by reason of the Said Randolph's failing to come to renew the Same.

The bounds of land between Maj'r John Bolling and the Gleebe Land not renewed, by reason No person to Sho the Bounds.

The bounds of land between Maj'r John Bolling and Temperance Bullington, not renewed, by reason of the Said Bullington's Absence.

The bounds of land between Robert Bullington and Roderick Urquhart, not renew'd, by reason of the Said Urquhart's Absence.

The bounds of land between Capt. Francis Eppes and Benja. Burton, not renew'd; the parties present and Willing to proceffion, but no limits be found.

The bounds of land between Capt. Francis Eppes and Wm.

Fuller, Not renewed, by reason of the Said Eppes failing to Come to renew the same.

The bounds of land between Capt. Francis Eppes and John Cox, not renewed, by reason of the Said Eppes failing to come to renew the Same.

The bounds of land between Maj'r John Bolling and Capt. Francis Eppes, not renewed, by reason of both parties being Absence.

The bounds of land between Majr. John Bolling and William Fuller, not renewed, by reason of both partys' Absence.

The bounds of land between Prudence Cox and Richard Renard, not renewed, by reason of both partys' Absence.

The bounds of land between William Finney and Abra. Baily, not renewed, the party's present and Willing to procession, but no line to be found.

The bounds of land between William Finney and Judith Cocke, not renewed. The partys present and Willing to procession, but no line to be found.

JOHN STEWART,
EDWARD COX,
BENJA. BURTON.

Copy Test :

AT A VESTRY held at Curl's Church, for laying the parish Levey, the Eleventh day of December, 1736.

Present.

JAMES POWELL COCKE, }
JAMES COCKE, GENT., } *Church Wardens.*

William Randolph, Esqr., Richard Randolph, John Redford, Bowler Cocke, John powell and William Fuller, Gent. Vestrymen.

Henrico Parish, Dr., 1736.

	Gr. Tob.	Calk.
To Ballance due to Collector last year,	175	
To the Rev'd mr. William Stith,	12,000	480
To Conveniency on Do.	2,031	

To Sackvil Brewer, Reader, a year's Sallary,	2,000	80
To Do. Clerk of the Vestry,	1,000	40
To John Eals, Reader at Chapel,	2,000	80
To John Hobson, Sexton,	600	24
To Elenor Williams, Sexton at Chapel,	600	24
To the Church Wardens for Communion Bread and Wine,	400	
To Sufanna Woodcocke for keeping her Son,	1,200	40
To Mary North for keeping Sufanna Burnet,	1,000	40
To Hutchins Burton for keeping Sufanna Rol- lings,	700	28
To the Collector for Insolvens, &c, persons twice lifted.	891	
To the Rev'd Mr. Brooks for short Levy'd him last year for preaching,	680	
To Robert Hardwick for his Son, an impotent person,	500	
To Elizabeth Fussel for Keeping and Burying Elenor West,	600	
To the Collectors for a Mistake in levyng mr. Gavin's Tob'o last year,	351	
Cask,	844	
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	27,572	
Commiffion on 27,572 lb Tobacco @ 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ Cent, is	1,654	
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	29,226	
Due from the Collectors to the parish,	543	
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<i>Henrico Parish is Credit 1736,</i>	29,769	
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By the Collectors for 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ Cent. of 4,136 lb Tob'o Receiv'd of Dale parish, and by him paid here with that Deduction,	579	
By 973 Tithables, at 30 lb Tobacco $\frac{1}{2}$ pole. is	29,190	
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	29,769	

John Nash, Gent., is Appointed Collector of this parish this year, and it is ordered that he do receive of every Tithable person within the said parish according to law. Thirty pounds of Tobacco being the Levy for this year, and if any person refuses to pay the Same, he is to Destrain for it, and that he do pay unto each parish Creditor Respectively their Several Sums of Tobacco, as in the proportions of the said levy are mentioned, for the performance of all which the said John Nash Enters into Bond; Richard Randolph and Bowler Cocke, Gent., Enters themselves Security.

John Nash, Gent., presents an Account of the Money received by him as Collector at Six pence $\frac{1}{2}$ pole of the Tithables in this parish, which was to have been apply'd towards the repairing the Chapel, by which it appears that there is due from him to the parish the Sum of Nineteen pounds Two Shillings and Two pence. It is ordered that he do pay the said Sum of Money to Richard Randolph, Gent., who is desired to receive and keep the Same in his hands for the use of the parish till further Orders.

JAMES POWELL COCKE, }

JAMES COCKE, }

Ch. Wardens.

AT A VESTRY held at Curl's Church for Henrico parish, ye 8th day of October, Anno. Dom., 1737, for laying ye parish Levey.

Present.

James powell Cocke, James Cocke, Church Wardens; Richard Randolph, John Redford, Bowler Cocke, John Bolling, William Fuller, John povall, Edward Curd, John Williamson and Robert Mosby, Gent. Vestrymen.

Henrico Parish, Dr., for ye year 1737.

	<i>Grs. Tob'r.</i>	<i>Cask.</i>
To the Rev'd Mr. William Stith,	10,000	400
To ye 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ Cent. on Do. for Conveniency,	1,693	
To Sackvil Brewer, Reader at Curl's Church,	2,000	80
To Do. as Clerk of ye Vestry,	500	20
To John Ales, Reader at Chapel,	2,000	80

To John Hobson, Sexton at Curl's Church,	600	24
To Elenor Williams, Sexton at Chapel,	600	24
To ye Church Wardens for Communion Bread and Wine,	400	
To Sufanna Woodcock for keeping her Son, an Impotent perfon,	1,200	48
To Mary Burnet for keeping Sufanna Burnnet,	1,000	40
To Hutchins Burton for keeping Sufanna Rolings,	700	28
To Robert Hardwick for keeping his Son, an Impotent perfon,	500	20
To ye Collector for Insolvents, &c.,	330	
To the Church Wardens for ye Use of Elizabeth Baily, a poor Old Woman,	400	
To the Church Wardens for ye Use of Widow Stephens, a poor Blind Woman,	600	
To 14 $\frac{3}{4}$ Cent. on said 1,000 for Conveniency,	160	
To Edmond Allen for keeping his Son, an Ideot,	600	
To Elizabeth Fuffel for keeping John West, an Infant,	400	
To Thos. Jennet, for keeping Eliza. pike, till laying ye Next Levey,	900	
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	24,583	764
Cask,	764	
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	25,347	
To Commission @ 6 $\frac{3}{4}$ Cent on 25,347, is	1,520	
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	26,867	
To 5,250 lb Groff Tob'o to be appli'd towards Building ye New Church at Williamson's	5,250	
To 5,250 lbs Grofs Tob'o to be Apply'd towards Building and Repairing of Gleebe Houfes,	5,250	
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<i>Per Contra Cr.,</i>	37,367	
By Ballance due from Collector last year,	543	
By 1,050 Tithables at 35 $\frac{3}{4}$ pole, Amounts to	35,750	

By a Ballance due to the Collector,

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37,267

William fuller, Gent., is appointed Collector of the parish Levey for this year, and it is ordered that he do receive of every Tithable person within the Said parish, Thirty-two pounds of Tobacco, with the Usual deduction being the Levey for this year, and if any person refuses to pay the Same, he is to Destrain for it; and that he do pay unto each parish Creditor respectively, their Several and respective Sums of Tobacco as in the Said Levey appears to be Due; for the performance of all which the said fuller enters into Bond; John Redford and John Povall Securitys.

On the Motion of Thomas Jennet, his Son Robert is Exempted from paying parish Levey.

It is ordered that Richard Randolph, Gent., do pay James Cocke, Church Warden, Two pounds one Shilling and Nine pence out of the parish Money in his hands, for Somuch by the Said Cocke, paid James Hunt for Mending ye Chappel Windows.

The Vestry do agree to build a Church on the Most Convenient place at or near Thomas Williamfon's in this parish, to to be Sixty feet in length and Twenty-five feet in breadth, and fourteen feet pitch; to be finished in a plain Manner, after the Moddle of Curl's Chureh. And it is ordered that the Clerk do set up Advertisements of the particular parts of the said buildings, and of the time and place of undertaking the Same.

It is ordered that the Collector do receive of every Tithable person in the parish, two pounds of Tobacco, after the Usual deduction, to be Apply'd towards building the New Church at Williamfon's.

It is ordered that the Collector do receive of every Tithable person in this parish, five pounds of Tobacco after the Usual Deductions; to be Apply'd towards building and repairing the Gleebe Houses. Richard Randolph, Gent., is appointed to treat with some person to undertake ye said reparations, &c.

Signed,

JAMES POWELL COCKE,
JAMES COCKE,

Ch. Wardens.

AT A VESTRY held at Curl's Church for laying the
Levey of Henrico parish, Nov. 25th, 1738.

Present.

the Rev'd William Stith, Jas. powell Cocke, James Cocke,
Bowler Cocke, John Bolling, John Redford, William fuller
and John Povall, Gent. Vestrymen.

Dr. Henrico Parish, Nov'r 25th, 1738.

	Gr.	Tob'o.	Cash.
To the Rev'nd Mr. William Stith, a year's Sallery,	16,000		640
To 14 ³ / ₄ Cent. for Conveniency,	2,708		
To a balla. due to Collector,	74		
To Jack Brewer, Reader at Curl's,	2,000		80
To Do., his Sallery as Clerk at Vestry,	500		20
To John Eals, Reader at Chappel,	2,000		80
To John Hobson, Sexton at Curl's,	600		24
To Elenor Williams, Sexton at Chappel,	600		24
To the Church Wardens for bread and Wine,	400		
To Sufanna Woodcocke for keeping and bury- ing her Son,	228		
To Mary North for Keeping Mary Burnet,	1,000		40
To Hutchings Burton for Keeping Sufanna Rol- lins 6 Months,	364		
To Robert Hardwick, for Keeping his Son,	500		20
To the Church Wardens for ye Use of Eliza- beth Baley,	400		
To 14 ³ / ₄ Cent. for Conveniency,	65		
To the Church Wardens for the Use of Widow Stephen's Net, 1,000, is	1,162		
To Elizabeth Morton for burying John Armf- tead,	200		
To the Church wardens for Recockals print,	520		
To the Collector for Insolvents and perfons twice lifted,	700		
To Edmond Allen for Keeping his Son,	600		24
To the Church Wardens for John West and In- fant,	400		16

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

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To Thos. Jennet for Keeping John pike, an Infant, till laying next parish levy,	900	35
To James Hatcher for making benches at Church, 120 is	139	
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	32,060	1,012
Cask Added,	1,012	
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	33,072	
To Commiffion on 34656 @ 6 p. Ch. is	2,079	
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	35,151	
<i>Henrico parish Credit.</i>		
By 1,83 Tithables at 32 lb Tobo. 3 pole is	34,656	
" Ballance due to the Collector,	495	
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	35,151	

James Cocke, Gent. Church Warden, produfeth his Account of Two pounds two Shillings and Eleven pence, Current Money, by him paid for repairs done this Chappel. It is ordered that Richard Randolph, Gent., do pay him the said sum out of his parish Money in his hands.

James powell Cocke produfeth his Account againft the parish, wherein it appears that Eight Shillings, Current Money, is due to him for Mending the Church Windows. It is ordered that Richard Randolph, Gent., do pay him the Same out of the parish Money in his hands.

Mr. William fuller is appointed a Collector of the parish Levey this year, and it is ordered that he do receive of every Tithable person in the Said parish, thirty-two pounds of Tobo. according to Law, and that he pay the Several Allowances Above Mentioned to the respective perfons to whom it is due. Bowler Cocke and John Poval, Gent., enter themselves Securitys.

JAMES POWELL COCKE,
JAMES COCKE.

AT A VESTRY held at Curl's Church, for henrico parish,
July ye 21st, Ano. Dom. 1739 :

Present.

The Rever'd William Stith, James powell Cocke, James Cocke, Bowler Cocke, John Redford, Edward Curd, Robert Mosby, John Povall, William fuller and John Williamson, Gent.

In obedience to an Order of Henrico Court, and pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this Colony, the Vestry do proceed to divide the parish into Several precincts and appoint persons to go in procession and renew the Bounds of Lands according to law.

first precinct.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this Colony, and in obedience to an Order of Henrico Court, it is Ordered that John North, Thomas fenton and Thomas Ellis, with the assistance of their Neighboring free holders, do Sometime before the last day of March next, go in procession and renew the Bounds of all Lands from the Mouth of West Ham to William Gorden's, hence upwards, all between Gorden's Road and James River to the head of the parish. And that the said John North, Thomas fenton, and Thomas Ellis (or any two of them) do take and return to this parish Vestry an Account of every persons Land by them processioned, together with the names of those present, and Also what Lands they shall fail to procession and the particular Reason of Such failure.

Second precinct.

ffrom William Gorden's Road to the head of the parish, thence to the Main Road Swamp, thence down to Turner's Run, thence up Hungry Branch to the head of Upland Brook, from thence to Gorden's aforesaid. John Shepherd, John Royal and Robert Webb are appointed processioners.

Third precinct.

All between Chickahominy Swamp and Upland Brook, to the head of the said Brook. Nathaniel Bacon, John Watkins and peter patrick are appointed processioners.

Fourth precinct.

All between Chickahominy Swamp and the Brook Road, as low as Mary Cannon's and Smith's Mill. Robert Sharp, John pleasant and John Brittain are appointed processioners.

Fifth precinct.

All between the Mouth of Gilley's Creek and West Ham, on the River, and to extend back from Gorden's and Mary Cannon's. John Coles, James Young and Richard Levens are appointed processioners.

Sixth precinct.

From the Mouth of Gilley's Creek on James River to William Lewis's, on Chickahominy Swamp, thence upward as high as Smith's Mill and Mary Cannon's. Thom's Watkins, John Harwood and Alex'r Mofs, processioners.

Seventh precinct.

All below the Mouth of Gilley's Creek and Cornelius's, on James River, and to extend back as far as Seven pines Road, and as low as the Southern Branch Bridge. Frans. Redford, Gilly Marrin and George Abney are processioners.

Eighth precinct.

All between Cornelius's and Two Mile Creek, on the River, and to extend back as far as the Main Country Road. Sam'l Hancock, William parker and John Cox are appointed processioners.

Ninth precinct.

All between Two Mile Creek, Four Mile Creek, James River and the Main Country Road. Isaac Sharp, William perce and William Stone are appointed processioners.

Tenth precinct.

All between Cornelius's and four Mile Creek, on the Main Road, hence back as far as the Seven pines Road. John Fraser, James Whitlow and John Whitlow are processioners.

Eleventh precinct.

All between William Lewis's, Boar Swamp, Chickahominy Swamp, and the Seven pines Road. Joseph Watfon, Martin Martin and Joseph Childers are appointed processioners.

Twelfth precinct.

ffrom the Mouth of Boar Swamp, on Chickahominy, to the lower Bounds of the parish, thence between Boar Swamp and the parish line South Wards as far as where the Road forks for Long Bridge and Bottom Bridge. Thomas Watkins, Sam. Bugg and John Carter are processioners.

Thirteenth precinct.

ffrom Bayly's Run to four Mile Creek, all between the Road that leads from four Mile Creek Bridge to Chickahominy Swamp and James River. Joseph Hopson, Nich's Hopson and John Darby are appointed processioners.

Fourteenth precinct.

All between Bailey's Run and the Lower Bounds of this Parish, to Extend back as far as the Western Run. Charles Woodfon, James Hatcher and John Williams are processioners.

Ffifteenth precinct.

All between the Western Run, the head of Bailey's Run and the parish line, to Extend North w'd as far as the fork of Long Bridge Road. Humphrey Smith, Thomas Binford and Edward East, processioners.

William Randolph, Esqr., who was a Vestryman for the parish, having resigned that place, Peter Randolph,¹⁵ Gent., is chosen to succeed him.

It is Ordered the Church Wardens do give Notice an. Set up Advertisements at all publick places in this parish, that on the Second Thursday in October next, At Curl's Church, will be held a Vestry, in order to let out the Building of the New Church, at which time, the parish levy will be laid.

JAMES POWEL COCKE,

JAMES COCKE,

Church Wardens.

AT A VESTRY, held for Henrico parish, the xj day of October, Anno que Dom. 1739 :

Present.

Richard Randolph, Bowler Cocke, John Williamfon, John Bolling, Edward Curd, Robert Mosby, James Powell Cocke, James Cocke, John Povall and Wm. fuller, Gent., Vestrymen.

Wm. fuller, late Collector of this parish, on Account of parish Tob'o, by him Sold in the Year 1738, viz :

	£.	s.	d.
To the Honb'le William Randolph, Esq. 2,915@12 $\frac{2}{3}$ ct. amounting to	17	9	9 $\frac{1}{2}$
To Mr. Beverley Randolph, 1,164@13 do.	7	11	3 $\frac{3}{4}$
To Richard Randolph, Gent. 3,978@1 $\frac{1}{2}$ do.	24	7	4 $\frac{1}{2}$
and 432 Accounted for by said Collector, @1 $\frac{1}{2}$ do.	2	14	0
	52	12	5 $\frac{3}{4}$

Richard Randolph, Gent., produces an Account for Buildings and repairs done on the Glebe, by which it appears that a Balance of thirty-nine pounds eight shillings and eight pence, current Money, is due to him from the parish. It is thereupon Ordered, that the several sums of Money, which appears by this collection account, due to the parish, viz : from Honourable William Randolph, Esqr., Seventeen pounds Nine Shillings and Nine pence half; from Mr. Beverley Randolph, Seven pounds Eleven Shillings and three pence, three farthings; and from the said Collector, Mr. William fuller, two pounds fourteen Shillings. Amounting in the whole to twenty Seven pounds fifteen Shillings and a peny farthing—be paid unto the said Richard Randolph in part of this Balance.

The Vestry proceed to Lay the parish Levy :

Debtor Henrico parish, for the year 1739.

	Gr. Tob'o.	Cask.
To the Rev'd Mr. Stith, 16,640 Net is	17,708	640
To Ballance due to last year's Collector,	495	
To Sackville Brewer, Reader at Curl's,	2,000	80
To ditto, Clerk of the Vestry, being processioning year,	1,000	40
To John Eals, Reader at Chapel,	2,000	80
To John Hobson, Sexton at Curle's,	600	24
To Elenor Williams, Sexton at Chapel,	600	24
To the Church Wardens, for Communion Bread and Wine,	400	
To ditto, for the use of Mary Burnet, if living,	1,000	
To ditto, for the use of Elizabeth Baley,	400	
To ditto, for Rebecca pruet, neet 600 is	698	
To Edmond Allen, for keeping his Son, an Idiot,	600	24
To Robert Hardwick, for keeping his Son,	500	
To the Church Wardens, for the use of John West, an Infant,	400	16
To ditto, for the use of Jane Jennings,	800	32
To ditto, for the use of Mary Hutchens,	800	
To So much towards Building the New Church, 20,000 Neet is	23,256	
Tobacco Levied to Build Barn on the Glebe, 5,000 Neet is	5,816	
	<hr/> 60,073	<hr/> 960
Cask added,	960	
	<hr/> 61,033	
Com's at 6 $\frac{3}{4}$ ¢ on 69,544, the Whole Sum to be received,	4,172	
	<hr/> 65,205	
Ballance due,	499	
	<hr/> 65,704	

Henrico Parish, Cr.

By William Fuller, late Collector as p his own
 Account, 96
 By 1,112 Tithables at 59 lbs Tob'o p pole is 65,608

 65,704

Sackville Brewer is appointed Collector of the parish for the ensuing year, and it is ordered that he do receive of every Tithable person within the said parish, the sum of Fifty Nine pounds of Tobacco, after the Usual Deduction, and that he do pay the Several Allowances above mentioned to the persons to whom due. Bowler Cocke and Beverley Randolph, Gent.¹⁶ Enter themselves Securitys for the Same.

Signed:

JAMES POWELL COCKE,
 JAMES COCKE,

Churc Wardens.

AT A VESTRY held for Henrico parish, on the Twentieth day of Dec'r, anno 1739:

Present.

Mr. William Stith, Minister; James powel Cock and James Cocke, Church Wardens; Richard Randolph, John Redford, James Povall, James Williamson, William fuller and Robert Mosby, Gent., Vestrymen.

It is agreed that a Church be Built on the Most Convenient Spot of Ground near ye Spring, on Richardson's Road, on the South Side of Bacon's Branch, on the Land of the Honourable William Byrd, Esqr., to be Sixty feet long and Twenty five broad, and fourteen feet pitch'd, to be finish'd in a plain manner after the moddle of Curl's Church. Richard Randolph, Esqr., Gent., undertakes the said Building, and engages to finish the Same by the Tenth day of June, which shall be in the year of our Lord Seventeen hundred and forty one; for which the Vestry agrees to pay him the sum of three hundred and seventeen pounds Ten Shillings Current Money, to be paid by the Amount of Sales of twenty thousand pounds of Tob'o Annually, to be Lev'd on the parish and sold here for money, till the whole

payment be compleat. It is agreed that a Barn be Built on the Glebe forty feet long and Twenty broad and Ten and a half feet pitch'd, the frames to be Sawed out of Good timber to be covered in good heart shingles, nailed on; the floor to be laid with two inch plank, and Underpined with Brick or Stone. James Hatcher undertakes the said Building, and engages to finish the same Workmanlike, by the Twentieth day of June next, for which the Vestry agrees to pay him Thirty five pounds Current Money, to be Raised by the sale of Tobacco Levy'd on the parish for that purpose.

It is ordered that the parish Collector do pay into the hands of the Church Wardens the Tobacco levied for the use of the parish, as soon as he can Conveniently Collect the same, and the Church Wardens are Impowered to make any private Bargain and sell the said Tobacco for money, but not under twelve shillings and six pence $\frac{2}{3}$ hundred, otherwise they are to sell it at publick sale to the highest bidder.

JAMES POWELL COCKE.
JAMES COCKE.

Every person under Written, have proceffioned their land Marks as us.

Richard More, Richard Truman, Michael Hartfield, Thomas Bottom, Francis Wilkinson, Francis Brothers, Francis Wagstaff, Thomas Watkins, John Hales, John Speare, Genet Ellifon, Samuel Bugg, Ann Austin, Edward Goode, John Ferris, William Ferris, William Clark, Robert Ferris, John Cocke, Walter Leigh.

Certified by us,

THOMAS WATKINS,
SAMUEL BUGG,
JOHN CARTER,
JAS. POWELL COCKE,
JAMES COCKE.

Test:

Pursuant to the within order, we, the subscribers, have made quiet and peaceable proceffion of all land according to the within orders, except two Certain parcels belonging to Orphants not of

Age—one being left by Joseph Pleasants, deceased, and the other by Joseph Mosby, dec'd.

☞ NATH'L BACON, JOHN WATKINS.
PETER PATRICK.

Test: JAS. POWELL COCK,
JAMES COCKE.

This is to Certifye, that we have processioned the Lands within our Bounds according to order, with peaceable possession and Satisfaction to the persons whose names are subscribed: Between & William Porter, Sen'r, Humphrey Smith, William Porter, Jr., John Pleasant, John Cock, William Persons, Thos. Watkins, William Sheels, Charles Floyd, Stephen Floyd, Stephen Woodson, John Middleton, Geo. Pike, Thomas Binford, Foliot Power, Wm. East.

HUMPHREY SMITH, EDWARD EAST,
THOMAS BINFORD.

March 29th, 1740.

Copy test: JAMES POWELL COCKE,
JAS. COCKE.

Feb. 11, 1740—an Account of processioning, viz: phillemon perkins, John Frayser, William Stone, John Frayser, Will. Negro, Ben. Scott, Henry Whitloe, Hays Whitloe, Robert Scott, all present. Francis Redford, John Redford, Sen'r, present. Abraham Childer, John Redford, Sen'r, Joseph Woodfin, Robert Blairs, Isaac Sharp, Fran's Rowan, present. Fran's previe, Maj. John Bolling, John Redford, Jun'r, both present, In Obedience to an order of Vestry, for the subscribers have processioned all the Lands in our precinct by us.

ISAAC SHARP, WM. PERCE, WM. STONE.
JAS. POWELL COCKE,
Copy Test: JAMES COCKE.

In Obedience to an Order of Henrico Court, John Whitloe, James Whitloe and John Frayser, being appointed by the Vestry of Henrico parish to proceed and renew the Lands Marks from Four Mile Creek to Cornelius Creek on the Main Road,

and to Extend Back as far as the Seven pines Road, hath renewed them as followeth, Feb. 6, 1739 :

The Land Marks between Charles Caffy and philemon Frayfer Renew'd ; Charles Caffy and William Frayfer being present. The land Mark between Joseph Adkins and philemon Frayfer renewed ; Joseph Adkins, William Frayfer and Charles Caffy being present. The land Marks between Charles Caffy and Joseph Adkins Renewed ; Jos. Adkins, Charles Caffy and William Frayfer present. The Land marks between Joseph Adkins and William Frayfer renewed ; Joseph Adkins, Charles Caffy and William Frayfer present. The land marks between Benjamin Scot and Jean Scot renewed ; Joseph Adkins, Benjamin Scot and Jean Scot present. The land marks between Darby Enroughty and Benjamin Scot renewed ; Darby Enroughty and Benjamin Scot present. The land marks between Henry Whitloe and Benjamin Scot renewed ; Henry Whitloe and Benja. Scott present. The land marks between Larner Bradshaw and Charles Caffy renewed ; Larner Bradshaw, Charles Caffy & Henry Whitlo present. The land marks between Abraham Childers and Larner Bradshaw renewed ; Larner Bradshaw, Abraham Childers and Charles Caffy present. The Landmarks between Abraham Childers and Joseph Adkins renewed ; Abraham Childers, Jos. Adkins, Charles Caffy present. The landmarks between Abraham Childers and Jean Scot ren'd ; Abraham Childers, Jean Scot and Henry Whitloe present. The land marks between Abram Childers and Benjamin Scot renewed ; Abraham Childers, Benja. Scot and Joseph Adkins present. The land marks between Abraham Childers and Darby Enroughty renewed ; Abraham Childers, Darby Enroughty and Joseph Adkins present. The land marks between Darby Enroughty and Henry Whitloe renewed ; Darby Enroughty, Henry Whitloe and Benja. Scot present. The land marks between Benjamin Burton and John West renewed ; Benjamin Burton, John West and Henry Whitloe present. The land marks between John Whitloe and John West renewed ; John Whitloe, John West and William Whitloe present. The land marks between William Whitloe and John West renewed ; William Whitloe, John West and Miel Turpin present. The land mark between William Whitloe and John Whitloe

renewed; William Whitloe and John Whitloe present. The landmarks between Wm. Whitloe and Richard Renyard renewed; William Whitloe and Miles Turpin present. The land marks between William Whitloe and Henry Whitloe renewed; William Whitloe present. The land marks between William Whitloe and Henry Whitloe renewed, and James Whitloe renewed; William Whitloe present. The land marks bet. James Whitloe and Henry Whitloe renewed; Jas. Whitloe and Wm. Whitloe and Jos. Adkins present. The land marks between William Burton, Sen'r, and Benj. Burton renewed; Benja. Benjamin Burton present. The landmarks of James Whitloe renewed, binding on unpatent land; William Whitlo and Joseph Adkins present. The land marks between John West and Joseph Richard Reynard not found; and Mr. Jos. Mayo's land marks not renewed; he not coming to the appointed Time. William Burton, Sen'r, land marks not renewed; he not coming to the appointed Time. They both joining to unpatented lands.

 JAMES WHITLOE, JOHN FRAYSER,
 Copy Test. JAS. POWELL COCKE,
 JAMES COCKE.

In Obedience to the within order, we have gon in procession and renewed the bounds of the Several Tracts of Land within the Limits of the same Order, in the presence and with the Consent of the proprietors of said Lands. Wit. our hands this 15 day of February, 1739.

 ROBERT SHARP, JNO. PLEASANTS.
 Copy Test. JNO. BRITTIAN,
 JAS. POWELL COCKE,
 JAMES COCKE.

purfuant to an order of Vestry, we, the subscribers, have attempted to renew the Bounds of Mr. John Cocke and Mr. Samuel Wortham's Land, who refused, for which reason Mr. Cock, Saith Thos. Carter, Jun'r, and Thos. Cocke, Sen'r, and George Baker, who joins him, Clames part of his Land,

and Mr. Wortham Land not proceffioned, he entending to Survey, &c. Certify'd by us,

THOS. WATKINS, SAM'L BUGG, JOHN CARTER,
JAMES POWELL COCKE,
Copy Test. JAMES COCKE.

In Obedience to the within Order, we have renewed the Bounds of all ye Lands within mentioned, in peace and quietness, with Consent of the Owners. Given under our hands, this 31st day of March, 1740.

JOHN ROYAL, JOHN SHEPHERD, ROB'T WEBB,
JAMES POWELL COCKE,
Copy Test. JAMES COCKE.

Joseph Watfon and Joseph Childers hath seen Richard Williamfon's Land proceffioned, and Martin Martin's Land proceffioned, and Edward Allen's land proceffioned, and Elizabeth Mottherwiler's land, all but one line between Capt. James Cocke and her, we cant find, and Charles Winfrey's land proceffioned; Thomas East's land proceffioned, and Joseph Childers' land proceffioned; Capt. James Cock, his land not proceffioned, we cant find any line; Elizabeth Morton, her land not proceffioned, for we cant find any line between Capt. James Cock and her; Thos. Elmore, one Tract of land not proceffioned, we cant find any line; the land where he lives is proceffioned; John Ferris, his land proceffioned.

JAMES POWELL COCKE,
Copy Test. JAMES COCKE.

In Obedience to an order of Henrico Court, 1739, We, the appointed proceffioners, have, with our utmost care, proceffioned all the lands within our precinct, Except Some lines not found Agreed on by the Owners thereof, viz: Between Edward Goode and Joseph pleafants; Edward Goode and Thomas Childrey; Wm. East and Ephraim Gathrit; Thomas Binford and Edward Mosby. Wit's our hands, March 26, 1740.

NICHOLAS HOBSON, JNO. ENROUGHTY,
JAMES POWELL COCKE,
Copy Test. JAMES COCKE.

Land processioned by Thomas Fenton, Thomas Ellis and John North, 1739: Widow Freeman, Holy Freeman, John Do., Amos Hix, (Holy Freeman, John Do., Thomas Ally,) Thomas Jennet, Thomas Ellus, William Ellis, Edward Reves, Wm. Ellis, (bought of Edward Reves, Thomas Ally, Edward Reves, John Shoemaker, Thomas Ally, Wm. Ellis, Thomas Jennet, John Shoemaker, Edward Reves, Edward Reves, Thomas Cottrell, Sam'l Pincham, Thomas Cotrall, Edward Reves, Thomas Cotrall, Jacob Robertfon, Thomas Cotrall, Abra. Childers, Thomas Cotrall, Jacob Robertfon, Richard Cotrall, Thomas Cotrall, Ben. Cannon, Thomas Cotrall, Richard East, Jacob Robertfon, Thos. Cotrall, Nich. Pryor, Thos. Cotrall, Zachariah Ford, Thos. Cotrall, Robert Hardwick, John North, Robert Hardwick, George Chambers, Thos. Fenton, George Chambers; Mr. William Randolph, could not possibly go over his line; Colo. Richard Randolph, his line not gon over; John Ellis, William Ellis, Thomas Ellis, Hen. Ellis, Charles Ellis, Joseph Ellis—they all present.

JAMES POWELL COCKE,
JAMES COCKE.

Copy Test.

January 1st, 1839. In Obedience to an order of Vestry, held for Henrico parish the 21st day of July, 1739, we, the subscribers, have Been in procession and renewed the Bounds of the following lands, viz: The Line Between Gillegrew Morrin and Capt. Joseph Mayo, the uper Side Capt. Mayo's land; also the line between the said Robertfon and William Burton, Jun'r. The Line between Capt. Jos. Mayo and Jas. Franklin. The line between the said Mayo and Widow Abney, and between the said Mayo and Gilley Marrin.

present—Capt. Joseph Mayo, Wm. Burton, jr., Thos. Robertfon, James Franklin, George Robertfon.

☞ GILLIE MARRIN,
GEORGE ABNY.

The Line between John Stewart and William Finney. The line between the said Finney and Capt. Wm. Cocke, dec'd; and between the said Cocke and Thomas Bailey. present—Wm. Finney, John Stewart, Sam'l Branch, Thomas Baley.

The line between the said Cocke and Tabithy Bollew. present—Charles Ballew and Thos. Baley. The line between Thos. Bayley and John Giles. present—John Giles and Thos. Mosby. The line between the said Giles and Thos. Mosby. present—John Giles and Thomas Mosby. The line between Frans. Redford and John Allday. present—the said Allday and his two Sons, John and Thomas Allday. The line between Thomas Mosby and Peter Randolph, and between the said Randolph and John Allday ; also the line between the said Randolph and Brazure Cock, and between the said Randolph and Gilley Marrin ; the said Randolph agreeing that John Alday and Thos. Mosby should Show us all his lines who were present.

April 1st, 1740.

FRANCIS REDFORD, GILLIGREW MARRIN,
JAMES POWELL COCKE,
Copy Test. JAMES COCKE.

In Obedience to an order, Directed to us, the Subscribers, dated the 21st day of July, 1739, by the Vestry of Henrico parish, to procession and renew the Bounds of all lands between the mouth of Gilley's Creek and Westham, on the river, and to Extend back as far as Gordons and Mary Cannons, to which we make the following returns, this 31st day March, 1740: We processioned all the lands within the Above mentioned Bounds but Colo. William Byrd's and Gilley Marrin's ; they, nor no persons for them, did meet at the Time appointed ; they persons that owned the lands Seemed all Well Satisfied.

JOHN COLES, RICHARD LEVENS,
JAMES POWELL COCKE,
Copy Test. JAMES COCKE.

Pursuant to an Order of Vestry, we, the subscribers, have processioned all lands within those precincts mentioned by the Order dated 21st day of July, 1739, Excepting Nich. Davies ; Reason is unknown to us. Colo. Benjamin Harrison's line is unknown to us.

ALEX'R MOSS, JOHN HARWOOD,
JAMES POWELL COCKE,
Copy Test. JAMES COCKE.

All the Gentlemen are agreed in our purfinks without proceffioning.

CHARLES WOODSON, JOHN WILLIAMSON,
JAS. HATCHER,

Copy Teft. JAMES POWELL COCKE,
JAMES COCKE.

AT A VESTRY held at the Court Houfe, for Henrico parifh, the 5th day of May, 1740, prefent—James powell Cocke, James Cocke, Church Wardens; Richard Randolph, John Redford, Bowler Cocke, John Povall, Wm. Fuller and John Williamfon, Gent., Veftrymen.

Peter Randolph, Gent., who was formerly chofen to be Veftryman of this parifh, now comes and takes the Oaths appointed and is thereupon Admitted accordingly. Prefent—Peter Randolph, Gent.

The Clerk Informs the Veftry that the Several perfons, who were appointed proceffioners for the year 1739, have made returns of their proceedings, which, by him, is registered in the parifh Book; whereupon the Church Wardens do proceed to Examine and Atteft the Same.

The Veftry do fell the Twenty five Thoufand pounds of Tobacco levy'd in October laft, for the ufe of the parifh, unto Colo. Richard Randolph, who agrees to give for the fame after the rate of Ten Shillings p hundred, Current money. It is thereupon Ordered that the Collector do pay him the Said Tobacco as Soon as he can Conveniently Colle&t the Same.

AT A VESTRY held for Henrico parifh, the 13 Day of October, Anno Dom. 1740: prefent—Mr. William Stith, Clerk; James po'l Cocke, James Cocke, Gent., Church Wardens; Richard Randolph, John Redford, Bowler Cocke, John Williamfon and Wm. Fuller, Gent., Veftrymen.

Henrico Parifh, Dr., for the year 1740.

	Neet Tob'o.
To the Rev'd Mr. William Stith, One Sallary,	16,000
To 4 p & on do. for Calk,	640
To fo much towards building the New Church,	20,000
To Sackville Brewer, Reader at Curl's Church,	1,789

To do. as Clerk of the Vestry,	430
To do. as late Collector for Insolvents, &c.,	1,069
To John Eals, Reader at Chappel,	1,789
To John Hopson, Sexton at Curl's Church,	536
To Elenor Williams, Do. at Chappel,	536
To the Church Wardens, for Communion Bread and Wine,	344
To John North, for keeping Mary Burnet,	896
To Edmond Allen, for keeping his Son, an Idiot,	536
To Robert Hardwick, for keeping his Son,	430
To the Church Wardens, for the use Elizabeth Baley,	600
To Do. for Rebecca pruet,	600
To Do. for John West, an Infant,	400
To Do. for Jane Jennings,	715
To Do. for Benjamin Good, a Blind man,	800
To James po'l Cocke, for a Scrubbing brush for ye Church,	20
To the Church Wardens, for Elenor Green,	200
To so much to be sold for money to pay James Hatcher his Ballance for Building a Barn on the Glebe,	2,000
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	50,330
To Commission on 53,486@6 $\frac{1}{2}$ & is	3,209
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	53,539

Per Contra Credit:

By 1,138 Tythables, @ 47 lbs. $\frac{1}{2}$ pole, is	53,486
By Ball'e due to the Collector,	53
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	53,539

Mr. William Fuller is appointed parish Collector for the Ensuing year, and it is ordered that he do receive of every Tythable person within the parish, forty Seven pounds of Tobacco, and if any person refuse to pay the same, he is to Defrain for it ; he enters into Bond for the performance thereof. John Redford and John Williamson, Gent., are his Securities.

Richard Randolph, Gentleman, produces a letter Directed to him, from the Hon'ble William Byrd, Esquire, which is read as followeth, Viz :

"October 12, 1740.

"SIR :

"I should, with great pleasure, oblige the Vestry, and particularly yourself, in granting them an Acre to build their Church upon, but there are so many roads already through that Land, that the Damage to me would be too great to have another of a mile long cut thro' it. I should be very glad if you would please to think Richmond a proper place, and considering the great number of people that live below it, and would pay their Devotions there, that would not care to go so much higher, I can't but think it would be agreeable to most of the people, and if they will agree to have it there, I will give them two of the best lots, that are not taken up, and besides give them any Pine Timber they can find on that Side Shockhoe Creek, and Wood for burning of Bricks into the bargain. I hope the Gent. of the Vestry will believe me a Friend to the Church when I make them the Offer, and that I am both theirs,

"Sir, and

"Your most Humble Serv't,

"W. BYRD."

Whereupon the question is put whether the said Church should be Built on the Hill caled Indian Town, at Richmond, or at Thomas Williamfon's plantation on the Brook Road, and is carryed by a majority of voices for the former. It is thereupon Ordered that the Church, formerly Agreed to be Built by Richard Randolph, Gent., on the South Side of Bacon's Branch, be Built on Indian Town, at Richmond, after the Same manner as in the said Former Agreement, was mentioned.

JAMES P'L COCKE,
JAMES COCKE.

AT A VESTRY, held at the Court House, for Henrico parish, ye 6th day of July, 1741: Present—Richard Randolph, James p'l Cocke, Bowler Cocke, John Povall, William Fuller, James Cocke and John Williamfon, Gent., Vestrymen.

It is ordered that Mr. William Fuller, the parish Collector, do Sell what Tobacco he now hath in his hands, belonging to the parish, this day at publick Sale for Cash, to the highest bidder, and that he sell the remainder of the said parish Tobacco, which he hath not yet Collected, in Like manner, at Aug't Court next.

JAMES P'L COCKE, }
JAMES COCKE, } *Church Wardens.*

AT A VESTRY held for Henrico Parish, the Seventh day of Decem'r, 1741: present—The Rev'd Mr. William Stith, James Po'l Cocke and James Cock, Gent.; Church Warden; Richard Randolph, John Bolling, Bowler Cocke, John Redford, John Povall, William Fuller and Peter Randolph, Gt., Vestrymen.

Dr. Henrico Parish, for the year 1741.

To the Rev'd Mr. William Stith, his Sallery and Cask,	16640
To Sach. Brewer, Reador,	1,789
To Do. as Clerk of the Vestry,	450
To Do. for Insolvents in Anno 1741,	212
To John Eals, Reador,	1,789
To John Hopson, Sexton,	636
To the Church Wardens, for Benja. Goode, blind,	800
To Do. for Rebecca pruet,	600
To Do. for Elenor Green,	250
To Do. for Communion Bread and Wine,	344
To Mary North, for keeping Mary Burnet,	896
To Edmond Allen, for his Son, an Idiot,	536
To the Son of Robert Hardwick, Lane,	430
To Ball'e due to Mr. Fuller, late Collector,	53
To Do. for Insolvents, &c.,	752
To Wm. Porter, Jun'r, over charged Anno 1740,	53
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	26,666
To Com. on 28,224 @ 6 ¢ ct.	1,693
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	28,359

Henrico parish is Cr. for the year 1741.

By 1,176 Tithables at 24 ³ / ₄ pole is	28,224
By Ballance due to the Collector,	135
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	28,359

Richard Royal, Gent., is appointed Collector of the parish Levy for the Ensuing year, and it is ordered that he do receive of Every tithable person in the said parish, the sum of twenty-four pounds of tobacco, and in case of a refusal or delay he is to defrain for the same.

Beverly Randolph, Gent., enters himself Security.

Mr. William Fuller presents an Acct of the tobacco sold by him as Collector, for the use of the Parish, which is ordered to be lodged with the Clerk.

JAMES P^L COCKE,
JAMES COCKE.

AT A VESTRY held for Henrico parish, Ootober ye 2d, 1742: Present—The Rev'd Mr. William Stith, Min'r; James Powell Cocke and James Cocke, Church Wardens; Richard Randolph, John Bolling, Bowler Cocke, John Povall and Robert Mosby, Vestrymen.

Dr. Henrico Parish for the year 1742.

	N't Tob'o.
To the Rev'd Mr. William Stith, his Sallery and Cask,	16,640
To John Eals, a Reador at Upper Church,	1,789
To John Hopson, Sexton at Curl's Church,	536
To the Church Wardens, for Communion Bread and Wine,	344
To Richard Royal, Collector for a Bal. for last year due to him,	135
To the Church Wardens, for the use of Benjamin Good, Blind,	1,200
To Do. for Rebecca Pruit,	600
To Do. for Elenor Green,	250
To Mary Hughs, for keeping Mary Burnet,	896
To Edmond Allen, for keeping his Son,	536

To Church Wardens, for Elizabeth Hamlet,	800
To Do. for Edward Skinner,	600
To James Powel Cock, for his Advance for Benjamin Good and Elizabeth Hamlet, Cash, £3. 11. 6. in Tob'o,	600
To Sack. Brewer, for fifteen months Sallary as Reador, and Cash Included,	2,236
To Do. for Clerk of the Vestry, Cash included,	447
To Do. for Surveying the Glebe,	430
To Mary Bennet, for keeping Wm. West, a poor Or- phant,	800
To Church Wardens, for Jane Jennings,	1,000
To Do. for Elizabeth Baley,	600
To so much towards Building a Chapel at Deep Run,	10,000
To John Hutchen, for the Church Wardens to dis- pose of for his Use,	406
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	41,381
Com's for Collector, .	2,488
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	43,869
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Do. Parish is Cr.

By Richard Royal, Collector for Tob'o Rec'd of persons not Sess'd;	504
By 1,239 Tithables at 35 Tob'o p pole is	43,365
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	43,869

Richard Royal, Gent., is appointed Parish Collector for the ensuing year, who enters into bond Accordingly. John Bolling and John Povall, Gent., enters themselves securities.

On the petition of Thomas Fenton and others, it is agreed and ordered that a Chappel be built on the hill above Deep Run on the main road, on the land of
to be in length, forty Eight; and Breadth, Twenty four—to be weatherboarded with Fetheredge planck and covered with hart shingles, nailed on—to have three Pews, Reading Desks, Pulpit

and Gallery, to be finished workmanlike in a plain, strong manner.

And it is agreed that the Vestry do meet at Curl's Church on the last Saturday in November next, To Treat with undertakers about building the said Chappel, of which the Church Wardens are to give Notice.

Beverley Randolph, Gent., is chosen a Vestryman in the room of Mr. Edward Curd, dec'd.

JAMES PO'L COCKE,
JAMES COCKE.

AT A VESTRY held for Henrico Parish, at Curl's Church, July 16, 1743: Present—James Powell Cocke and James Cocke, Church Wardens; Richard Randolph, John Redford, John Povall, Beverly Randolph and John Williamson, Gentlemen, Vestrymen.

Beverley Randolph, Gent., having been formerly elected a member of this Vestry, in the room of Mr. Edward Curd, deceased, now comes and takes the Oaths as by law appointed to qualifie him self for that office.

John Coles, Gent.,¹⁷ is chosen a Vestryman in the room of Mr. William Fuller, dec'd. Thomas Mosby and William Finney are chosen in the room of John Bolling & Bowler Cocke, Gent., who are moved out of the Parish.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this Colony, and in Obedience to an order of Henrico County Court, The Parish is Divided into several precincts, and persons appointed in each precinct to go in procession and renew the Bounds of each persons Land.

First Precinct :

Ordered that Thomas Hughes, Thomas Ellis and William Ellis, with the Assistance of thier Neighboring freeholders, do sometime before the last day of March next, go in procession and renew the bounds of all lands from the mouth of Great Westham to William Gordon's, thence upwards all between Gordon's Road and James River, to the head of the parish. And that the said Thomas Hughs, Thomas Ellis and Wm. Ellis, or any two of them, do take and return to this Parish Vestry an Account of every person's land by them processioned, To-

gether with the Names of those present, an also what lands they shall fail to procession, and the particular Reason of such failure.

Second Precinct :

From William Gordon's Road to the head of the Parish; thence to Chickahominy Swamp, and down that to Turner's Run, and up Hungry Branch to the head of Afnam Brook and from thence to Gorden's aforesaid. Isaac Winstone, Joseph Parfons and William Britain, appointed processioners.

Third Precinct :

All between Chickahominy Swamp and Afnan Brook to the head of said Brook. Ludwell Bacon, Matthew Hopson and William Owen, Appointed processioners.

Fourth Precinct :

All between Chickahominy Swamp and the Brook Road, as low as Cannon's and Smith's Mill. Robert Sharp, John Pleasant and Silvanus Walker, are appointed processioners.

Fifth Precinct :

All between the mouth of Gilley's Creek and Great Westham Road, on the River, and to extend back as far as Cannon's and Gorden's. Joseph Hopkins, John Langford and Robert Sharp, Jun'r, are appointed processioners.

Sixth Precinct :

From the mouth of Gilley's Creek, on James River, to William Lewises, on Chickahominy Swamp, Thence upwards as high as Cannon's and Smith's Mill. Nathaniel Vandewall and John Gunn, and Edward Curd, are appointed processioners.

Seventh Precinct :

All between Gilley's Creek and Corneliuf's, from the River, back as far as the Seven Pines Road, and as low as the Southern Branch Bridge. William Finney, John Giles and Nicholas Giles, are appointed processioners.

Eighth Precinct :

All between Corneliuf's and Two mile Creek, the main County road and the river. Edward Cox, John Stewart and Benj. Burton, appointed processioners.

Ninth Precinct :

All between Two mile Creek, Four Mile Creek, James river and the main Country road. Joseph Woodson, Henry Sharp and Francis Pierce, proceffioners.

Tenth Precinct :

All between Corneliuf's and Four mile Creek, from the main Country Road, to Seven Pines Road. William Whitlow, Darby Enroughty & Charles Caffy, proceffioners.

Eleventh Precinct :

All between William Lewif's and Boar Swamp, on Chickahominy, to Extend back as the Head of Boar Swamp. Richard Williamfon, Julius Allen and Andrew Matthews, appointed proceffioners.

Twelf Precinct :

From the mouth of Boar Swamp to the County line on Chickahominy Swamp, thence to Extend Southward as far as the fork of Long Bridge Road. John Cocke, John Hale and Thomas Binford, proceffioners.

Thirteenth Precinct :

All between Four Mile Creek, Bailey's Run and White Oak Swamp, the best. Robert pleasant, Mathias Ayrs and Pew. Price, appointed proceffioners.

Fourteenth Precinct :

All between Bailey's Run, the County Line and the Western Run. Charles Woodson, James Hatcher and John Williamfon, proceffioners.

Fifteenth Precinct :

All between the head of Bailey's Run, the Western Run and the County line, to extend Northward as far as the fork of the long bridg Road. William Porter, Jun'r, John Middleton and Stephen Woodson, proceffioners.

JAMES P'L COCCE,
JAMES COCKE,

C'h Wardens.

AT A VESTRY, held at Curl's Church, for Henrico Parish, on Fryday, xvj day of December, Anno q. Dom. 1743: John Coles, Gent., who was formerly elected a member of this Vestry in the room of Mr. William Fuller, deceased, now comes and takes the Oath of a Vestryman, and is thereupon admitted, as usual.

Present.

Richard Randolph, Beverley Randolph, John Redford, John Povall, James powell Cocke, John Williamfon and John Coles, Gent., Vestrymen.

Dr. Henrico Parish for the year 1743.

	Net Tob'o.
To the Rever'd Mr. William Stith, his fallery and calk,	16,640
To John Eals, Reador, fallery and calk,	1,789
To Mark Clark, Reador, fallery and do.	1,789
To Sack. Brewer, Clerk of Vestry, processioning year,	895
To John Hopson, Sexton at Curl's Church,	536
To Elenor Williams, Do. at Chapel,	536
To the Church Wardens, for Communion Bread and Wine,	344
To the Church Wardens, for the use of Benj. Good, blind,	1,500
To Mary Hughes, for keepin Mary Burnet,	896
To Edmond Allen, for keeping his son, an Idiot,	1,000
To the Church Wardens, for Elizabeth Hamlet,	800
To Do. for the use of Ann Skinner, a poor widow,	400
To the Church Wardens, for Jane Jennings,	1,000
To do. for Elizabeth Bailey,	600
To Martha Bennett, for keeping orph't Will West till Ap'l Next,	400
To the Church Wardens, for Rebecca Pruitt,	600
To Colo. Richard Randolph, for use of John Hutchens,	400
To Thomas Pirkins, for keeping Ann Evans a Year,	300
To Colo. Richard Randolph, for use of William Ford,	600
To Do. for lame phelemon Childers,	500
To John Forfic, for keeping Nehemiah Watfon three months,	250

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To Cock, for £1. 19. 9, Advanced for said Watfon,	230
To the Church Wardens, for the ufe of Nehemiah Watfon,	1,200
To John Hopfon, for clearing ye Church Yard formerly,	100
To William Street, for Reading Prayers at Deep Run,	1,000
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	34,405
To Comm'on on 34,405 lbs. Tob'o, at 6 ¢ ¢., is	2,064
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	36,469
Ballance due from ye Collector to the Parifh,	641
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	37,110
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Henrico Parifh is Cred'r.

By 1,237 Tithables, at 30 ¢ pole, Affeffed, 37,110

James Cock, Gent., is appointed Collector, who gives Bond Accordingly ; Richard Randolph and Beverley Randolph, Gent., his Securitys.

Beverly Randolph and John Coles, Gent., are chofen Church Wardens for the Ensuing year, who take the Oath Accordingly.

Beverley Randolph, Gent., agrees to Build on the Gleebe a Tobacco Houfe, Forty feet Long and twenty broad, to be well framed with good Timber, and covered with good Shingles, Nailed on ; to be finished in every respect Workmanlike, according to the manner of Such fort of Houfes, for which he is to receive Twenty pounds Curr't Money.

BEVERLEY RANDOLPH, } *Ch. Wardens.*
JOHN COLES, }

Henrico Parifh, in Obedience to the Worshipful Gentlemen of the Veftry, we, the Subscribers, have proceffioned all the Lands in our precinct ; only part of a line between Steven Floyd's and Steven Woodfon's not agreed, and Wm. Griffin refufes to proceffion. Mr. John Pleafants neglected to proceffion his land.

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WM. PORTER, Jun'r,
JOHN MIDDLETON.

A return of the order of the Vestry for processioning the Bounds allotted to Robert pleasant, Matthew Ayres and Pew Price, lines not processioned, as Follows: Edward Good, Ju'r, he not being willing; Tho. Matthew, Edward Good, line Trees not to be found; Colo. Richard Randolph's lines being newly done; Robert Pleasants, Edward Good, Jr., line trees not to be found; Thomas Pleasants, James Woodfin, refusing to go; John Hobson, Eliza Hobson, bounds not made between them.

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Purfuant to an order of Vestry, we have given notice to all the Free holders in our precinct, and have accordingly gon in procession on all the Lines of those who would attend us.

CHARLES WOODSON,
JAS. HATCHER,
JOHN WILLIAMS.

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By a Vestry held at Curl's Church, Dated July 16, 1743, we have processioned these Lines: The line of William and Francis Pierce and Robert Blairs, Abraham Childers, there with us; the line of William Sharp and Robert Blause, Isack Sharp and Abraham Childers with us; then the line of John Redford and John Bolling, John Redford and Abraham Childers with us; then the line of John Bolling and Hays Whitlow, Hays Whitlow, Junior, in the Room of his Father, and John Redford, Abram Childers with us; then the lines of Robert Cott, Negro Jane and Hays Whitlow, Negro Jane, Henry Whitlow, Negro Jane, John Frazure, Negro Jane, Hays Whitlow, Abraham Childers, John Red there; then the line of William Stone and John Frazure, Philemon Pirkins, John Frazure there; then the line of William Stone and John Frayfer, Philemon Perkings, Wm. Stone, John Frayfure there; then the lines of John Redford, Senior, and Robert Blause, Robert Blause not there, John Redford there and Abraham Childers there; then the lines of Abraham Childers and Francis Redford, his Father, John Redford, in his room, and Abraham Childers with us; then the line of Philemon Perkins and John Frayzur, John Frafure, John Redford, Abram Childers there; then the line of Joseph Woodfon and Philemon

Pirkins and Robert Blaus, Abraham Childers, John Redford there with us ; then the line of Joseph Woodson and Robert Blause, John Redford, Abraham Childers there ; then the line of Joseph Woodson and Abraham Childers, John Redford, Sen'r, Abraham Childers there ; then the line of John Redford, Sen'r, and Abraham Childers, they there ; then the line of John Redford, Jun'r, and Fran's Redford, by order of their Father ; then the line of John Redford and Milnor Redford, by order of their Father ; all these lines being peaceably processioned by us.

JOSEPH WOODSON,
HENRY SHARP,
FRAN'S PIERCE.

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Feb'y 22, 1743.

In Obedience to an Order of Henrico Court, we, the Subscribers, have gon in procession and renewed the Bounds of the Several Tracts of Land within the limits of the said Order, in the presence and with the Consent of the proprietors of the said lands, as Witness our hands and c this 3rd day of Feb., 174 $\frac{3}{4}$.

ROBERT SHARP,
JOHN PLEASANTS, JR.

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All the Patented Land in our precincts, according to the direction of the order, all persons being present by us.

DARBY INRUFTY,
CHARLES CASSY,
WILLIAM WHITLOW.

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Whereas, by order perferent Lands, John Pheris, Thomas Elmore, William Gathrit, one line don joining Elmore ; Capt. James Cocke not done ; processioned Joseph Childers, Charles Winfrey, Anthony Matthews, Edward Allen, Arobria Elmor, Martin Martin, Joseph Watfon, Richard Williamson, William Ives, William Sprague, John Leafon, Edward Dean, Julius Allen, Thomas Bethel, John Warner, Ephraim Gathrit, Richard Truman, Thos. Spragin, all quietly processioned By Richard Williamson, Julius Allen, Antho. Matthews.

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John Cocke, Thomas Binford, John Hales : We have pro-
 ceffioned all the Lands to be found in our Bounds.

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March 20, 1744.

AT A VESTRY held at Curls Church, For Henrico
 Parish, the 19th day of November, 1744 : Present—the Rever'd
 William Stith, Minister ; Beverley Randolph and John Coles,
 Church Wardens ; Rich'd Randolph, James Powell Cocke,
 John Redford, Peter Randolph and John Povall, Vestrymen.

Dr. Henrico Parish for ye year 1744.

	Net. Tob'o.
To Mr. William Stith, Sallery and Cask,	16,640
To John Eals, Reador,	1,789
To Mark Clark, Reador,	1,789
To Sack Brown, Clerk of the Vestry,	450
To Bowler Cocke, for Recording Deed of Church Land,	86
To John Hobfon, Sexton,	536
To Elenor Williams, Do.,	536
To Church Wardens, for Bread and Wine,	344
To Do., for the use of Benjamin Good,	1,500
To Thomas Hughes, for keeping Mary Burnet,	896
To Edmond Allen, for his Son, an Idiot,	1,000
To Church Wardens, for Elizabeth Hamlet,	500
To Do., for Ann Skinner,	400
To Mr. Burnert, for keeping Will West, last year,	400
To Church Wardens, for Jane Jennings,	1,000
To Do., for Elizabeth Bailey,	600
To Do., for Rebecca Pruit,	600
To Colo. Richard Randolph, for John Hutchens,	400
To Do., for William Ford,	600
To Do., for Lame Childers,	500
To Henry Cox, for Ann Evans,	400
To the Church Wardens, for Nehemiah Watfon,	800
To William Street, Reador at Deep Run,	1,789
To Samuel Gathrit, for keeping William Daniel,	700
To Church Wardens, for Clothes for said Daniel,	200
To Joseph Hopfon, for keeping his Lame son,	800

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To the Church Wardens, to be sold for the use of the Parish,	10,000
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To Commiffion, at 6 p ct,	2,715
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	47,970
Ball'e due to the Parish,	223
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	48,193
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Parish Cr. for the year 1744.

By James Cocke, last year Collector, for a Ball'e in last Levy, and Tob'o rec'd of Persons not listed, according to his own Acc't,	1,213
By 1,305 Tithables, at 36 p pole,	46,890
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	48,193

James Cocke, Gent., is appointed Parish Collector for the ensuing year, who gives Bond accordingly. Richard Randolph and Peter Randolph, Gent., enter themselves securiteys.

Peter Randolph and John Coles, Gent., are appointed to agree with the cheapest workmen they can, to undertake and Finish the Chappel to be Built at Deep Run, and to report their proceedings in the premises to the next vestry.

Beverley Randolph, Gent., is Impowered and desired by the Vestry to send to England, as soon as conveniently he can, for the Following things, on the Parish account, viz: One Parson's Surplis, a Pulpit Cushion and Cloth, Two Cloths for Reading Desks, a Communion Table Cloth, and a Dozen of Cushions to be of good Purple Cloth, and the Surples good Holland; also a large Bible and four large Prayer Books.

BEVERLEY RANDOLPH,
JOHN COLES, Signed.

AT A VESTRY, held at the Court House, for Henrico Parish, the 2d day of December, 1745: Present—the rev'd Mr.

William Stith, Minister; Beverley Randolph and John Coles, Church Wardens, Richard Randolph, Peter Randolph, James Cocke, William Finney and John Redford, Gent., Vestrymen.

Dr. Henrico Parish for the year 1745.

	Nett Tob'o.
To the Rev. Mr. William Stith, Minis'r, Sallery and cask,	16,640
To John Eals, Reader,	1,789
To Mark Clark, Reader,	1,789
To William Street, Reader,	1,789
To Richard Deane, Clerk of the Vestry,	450
To John Hopfon, Sexton,	536
To Eleanor Williams, do.,	536
To the Church Wardens, for Bread and Wine,	344
To do., for the use of Benjamin Goode,	1,500
To do., for keeping Mary Burnet,	896
To Edmond Allen, for his son, an Idiot,	1,000
To the Church Wardens, for Elizabeth Hamlet,	500
To do., for Jane Jennings,	1,000
To do., for Elizabeth Baley,	600
To do., for Rebecca Pruit,	600
To Colo. Richard Randolph, for William Ford,	600
To do., for Lame Childers,	500
To the Church Wardens, for Nehemiah Watfon,	800
To Joseph Hobfon, for keeping his lame son,	800
To John Coles, Church Warden, for the Ballance of £6. 3. 9½d, w'ch is now due to him as p'r his acco't, and if it overpays the said Ball., he is to account for it in the next Levy,	1,000
To the Church Wardens, for Jane Jennitt,	1,200
To John Shoemaker, for clearing the arbor at Deep Runn, and for an Acre of Land to fet the Chappel upon,	536
To James Hatcher, for making a Coffin for John Hutch- ens,	80
To William Lawless, for keeping Mary Burnet's bastard child—the said Mary Burnet being an Idiot and upon the Parish,	700

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To Abraham Baley, for burying Mary Gwinn, a mulatto, a poor p'fon, who happened to be taken ill and dyed at his House,	100
To the Church Wardens, to be sold for the use of the Parish,	11,215
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	47,500
To Commission on 7,500, at 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ cent.,	2,850
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	50,350
To Samuel Gathrite, to be paid out of ye above Ball'ce, w'ch was ord'd to be sold,	400
Ballance due from the Collector,	400
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	51,150

Do. Parish Cr. for the year 1745.

By 1,325 Tithables, at 38 $\frac{1}{2}$ pole,	50,350
By Hobson's Allowance disallowed,	800
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	51,150

Ordered—

That William Gay, Collector, receive of each Tithable in the Parish thirty Eight pounds of Tobacco per poll, who gives Bond according. Peter Randolph & John Archer, Gent., his Securities.

Ordered—

That Richard Deane is appointed Clerk of the Vestry.

Ordered—

That the Ballance due from the Collector, being Nine pounds & Eight pence be paid to Colo. Richard Randolph.

Ordered—

That the Ballance in Mr. Redford's hands, for Colo. Bolling's tiths, three pounds four shillings, be paid likewise to Colo. Richard Randolph.

BEVERLEY RANDOLPH,
JOHN COLES. Signed.

AT A VESTRY, held at Varina, for Henrico Parish, December 2, 1746:

Present.

The Rev. William Stith, Richard Randolph, Peter Randolph, John Coles, William Finney, John Reiford & John Povall, Gent., Vestrymen.

Henrico Parish for the year 1746.

To the Rev'd William Stith, Minister, salary and cask,	16,640
To John Eals, reader,	1,789
To Mark Clark, reader,	1,789
To William Street, reader,	1,789
To Richard Deane, Clerk of the Vestry,	450
To John Hobson, Sexton,	536
To Elenor Williams, do.,	536
To John Shoemaker, for keeping and cleaning the arbor,	536
To the Church Wardens, for Bread and Wine,	344
To Colo. Richard Randolph, for the use of Ben. Goode	1,500
To the Church Wardens, for Jane Jennings,	1,000
To do., for keeping Mary Burnet,	896
To do., for keeping Elizabeth Baley,	600
To do., for Rebecca Pruit,	600
To Edmond Allen, for his Son, and Idiot,	1,000
To Colo. Richard Randolph, for William Ford,	600
To do., for Lane Childers,	500
To the Church Wardens, for James Jennit,	1,200
To William Lawless, for keeping Mary Burnet's bastard Child—she being an Idiot and upon the parish,	700
To Thomas Wood, for gates & and fencing, &c., to the Upper Church yard,	2,000
To Eleanor Williams, for making cutains, &c., for the Upper Church,	300
To Nicholas Giles, for one Levy overlited in 1744,	36
To Charles Floyd, for one Levy last year overcharged,	36
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	35,377
To Commissions on 35,377 at 6 % &c.,	2,123

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

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To Richard Deane, for 12 Insolvents at 36 each,	432
To Ballance to be paid to the Church Wardens, to be fold for ye use of ye P'rish,	6,706
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Henrico Parish, Cr.

By Major John Coles, his Tob'o, ball'e as ₤ acc't,	1,102
By do., Cash Acco.	6. 17. 12
By a Ball'ce due from Rich'd Royal, w'ch the Ch. War- dens are desired to receive,	4. 1. 8
By a Ball'ce due from Colo. Richard Randolph, as ₤ Acco. 51. 19. 10,	504
By 1,304 Tithes, at 33 ₤ polle,	43,032
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Ordered—

That Richard Randolph & John Coles, Gent., be appointed Church Wardens for the ensuing year.

Ordered—

That Richard Deane be appointed Parish Collector, and that he receive of every Tithable thirty three pounds of Tobacco, in case of refusal, to disstrain for the same, and to give Bond and Security to the Church Wardens accordingly.

RICHARD RANDOLPH,
JOHN COLES,

Signed.

AT A VESTRY, held at Curl's Church, for Henrico Parish, August 4th, Anno 1447, for dividing the Parish into several precincts, and appoint persons to go in procession and renew the bounds of Land according to law.

Present.

The Rev'd Mr. Will'm Stith, Minister; Rich'd Randolph, John Coles, Church Wardens; Peter Randolph, John Redford, James Powel Cocke, John Poval, John Williamson, Rob't Mosby, Vestrymen.

First Precinct.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this colony, and in obedience to an Order of Henrico Court, it is ordered that Henry Ellis, Charles Ellis, John Ellis and William Harding, w'th the Assistance of their neighboring free holders, do sometime before the last day of March next, go in procession and renew the Bounds of all lands from the mouth of West Ham to Will'm Gordon's, thence upwards and between Gordon's Road and James River to the head of the parish; and that the said Henry Ellis, Charles Ellis, Mr. John Ellis, Will'm Harding, (or any two of them,) do take and return to this Parish Vestry an Account of Every persons I and by them processioned, together with the names of those present, and also what Land he shall fail to procession and the particular reason of such failure.

Second Precinct.

From the mouth of Meredith's Branch to the head of it, and from thence to the head of Eastern Branch, thence down the said Branch to Gordon's Road, including all the land Between the Eastern Gordon's Road, Hanover and Goochland lines. Peter Purryear, Rich'd Lovatt, Richard East and Edward Pryor, are appointed Processors.

Third Precinct.

From the mouth of Turner's Run to the head, thence to the mouth of hungry, thence to the head of the said Run, and from thence to the head of the Brook, including all the lands to the Brook, and in the Fork thereof and Gordon's road, and so up to the Eastern Branch, thence up that Branch to the head of Meredith's, down the Chickahominy Swamp, down the Swamp to the place began at. Rich'd Holland, Rob't Webb, John Shepard & Thomas Bowles, Jun'r, are appointed Processors.

Fourth Precinct.

All between Chickahominy Swamp and Upland Brook to the head of the said. Langstone Bacon, Wm. Pattman, Stephen Panky and Thomas Owen, are appointed Processors.

Fifth Precinct.

All between Chickahominy Swamp and the Brook road, as low

as Mary Cannon's and Smith's Mill. Jos. Pleasants, Jun'r, John Smith, Obadiah Smith, John Britain, pro'rs.

Sixth Precinct.

All between the mouth of Gilley's Creek and West Ham, on the river, and to extend back as far as Gordon's and Mary Cannon's. Rob't Cooke, Wm. Sneed, Jno. Price, Jacob Smith, are appointed process'rs.

Seventh Precinct.

From the mouth of Gilley's Creek, on James River, to Jos. Lewis's, on Chickahominy Swamp, thence upward as high as Smith's Mill and Mary Cannon's. Jos'h Lewis, Ed. Curd, Daniel Price, —son Daniel, William Smith, are appointed process'rs.

Eighth Precinct

All between the mouth of Gilley's creek and Corneliuf's, on James river, and to extend back as far as Seven Pines road, and as low as the Southern Branch Bridge. Matthew Herbert, Jno. Alday, Sen'r, George Roberfon and Brazure Cock, are appointed process'rs.

Ninth Precinct.

All between Corneliuf's and Two mile creek, on the River, and to extend back as far as the Main Country Road. John Cox, John Bullington, Wm. Parker, Thos. Perkins, are appointed process'rs.

Tenth Precinct.

All between Two mile Creek, Four mile Creek, James river, and the main Country road. Isaac Sharpe, John Frazure, Wm. Pierce and Haife Whitlo, app'd process'rs.

Eleventh Precinct.

All between Corneliuf's and Four mile Creek, on the main road, thence as far back as the Seven pines road, Including the Fork of Boar Swamp. Thomas Bethel, Fran's Wagstaff, Richard Truman and John West, appointed process'rs.

Twelfth Precinct.

All between Lewif's, Boar Swamp, Chickahominy Swamp, and the Seven pines road. William Gathright, Thos. Ellmore, Edmund Allen, Wm. Ferriss, Sen, appointed processioners.

Thirteenth Precinct.

From the mouth of Boar Swamp, on Chickahominy, to the lower bounds of the parish line southward as far as where the road forks for Long Bridge and Bottom Bridge. Rich'd Moore, Jno. Carter's son, Gerrard Ellyson and Sam'l Bugg, Sen'r, app'd processioners.

Fourteenth Precinct.

From Bailey's Run to Four mile Creek ; all between the road that leads from Four mile creek bridge to Chickah'y Swamp and James river, Including the fork of White Oak Swamp. Samuel Gathright, Thomas Matthews, John Childers and Edward Goode, are appointed processioners.

Fifteenth Precinct.

All between Bailey's Run and the lower bounds of the Parish, to extend back as far as the Western Run, John Pleasant's, Bailey's. Nich's Hobson, Wm. Hobson and John Pleasants, at Curle's, appointed processioners.

Sixteenth Precinct.

All between the Western Run, the head of Bailey's Run and the Parish line, to extend northward as far as the fork of Long bridge road. John Middleton, Humphrey Smith, Stephen Woodson and Robert Mattox, appointed processioners.

Ordered—

That Solomon Carey be appointed Clerk of the Vestry in the room of Richard Deane, deceased, and that John Bryant be appointed a clerk in the room of John Eales, who is become incapable of executing his office. His salary to commence from the first day of June last.

RICHARD RANDOLPH,
JOHN COLES, Signed.

AT A VESTRY, held at Colo. Richard Randolph's, for Henrico Parish, January 19th, 174 $\frac{7}{8}$.

Present.

The Rev'd William Stith, Richard Randolph, Church Wardens: Peter Randolph, John Povall, John Redford, Jno. Williamson and Robert Moseby, Vestrymen.

Dr. Henrico Parish for the year 1747.

To the Rev'd William Stith, S'lary & cask,	16,640
To John Eals, for reading 7 months at the Up'r Chu'h,	1,039
To John Bryant, for 5 months as ditto,	750
To Mark Clark, read'r,	1,789
To William Street, reader,	1,789
To Solomon Cary, Clerk Vestry, proceffioning y'r,	895
To John Hobfon, sexton,	536
To Elenor Williams, do.,	536
To John Shoemaker, for keep'g and clean'g the arbor,	536
To the Church Wardens, for Bread and Wine,	344
To Colo. Richard Randolph, for the use of Benja. Goode,	1,500
To the Church Wardens, for Jane Jennings,	600
To do., for keeping Mary Burnet,	896
To do., for Eliza. Bailey,	600
To Edmond Allen, for his son, an Idiot,	1,000
To Colo. Richard Randolph, for William Ford,	600
To do., for Lame Childers,	500
To do., for James Jennitt,	600
To William Lawlets, for keeping Mary Burnett's bastard child, she being an Idiot, on the Parish,	600
To the Church Wardens, for Rebecca Pruit,	600
To Daniel Baker,	600
To John Liptoott,	600
To Anna Smith,	400
To Edward Goode, for curing George Macon's hand,	489
To Charles Ballou, for Insolvents,	200

To the Church Wardens, to be fold for the use of the pa'h,	8,989
To Commissions on 46,410, at 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ ct,	2,784
	<hr/> 46,410 <hr/>

Henrico Parish, Cr.

By 1,326 Tithes, at 35 $\frac{1}{2}$ poll, 46,410

Richard Randolph, Jun'r, ¹⁴ William Randolph, ¹⁶ Daniel Price & William Lewiss, are Elected vestrymen in the room of John Coles & Powell Cocke, deceased, and James Cocke & Will'm Finney, who have removed out of the Parish.

Richard Randolph, Jun'r, takes the Oath by the law prescribed, and is admitted to his place in the Vestry.

Peter Randolph, Gent., is chosen Church Warden.

Ordered that the house upon the Gleebe be repair'd, & an addition of 20 feet at each end, with two windows in each room, and that the Church Wardens be impowered to agree w'th workmen; and the Chimneys to be pul'd down & rebuilt.

Ordered that the Church Wardens do pay to Andrew Barclay £7. 13. 3 $\frac{1}{2}$, due to him from the Vestry, & do receive of Maj'r Coles' Estate £3. 0. 6, the Ball'nce due to the Vestry.

Ordered—

That Francis Redford and Charles Ballou be appointed Parish Collector, and that they receive of every tith thirty five pounds of tobacco—in case of refusal, to distrain for the same—who gives bond and Security accord'ly.

RICHARD RANDOLPH,
PETER RANDOLPH,

Chnrch Wardens.

AT A VESTRY, held at Chatfworth, for Henrico Parish,
January 24th, 174 8-9.

Present.

The Reverend William Stith, Peter Randolph, Church Warden; John Poval, Thomas Mosely, William Randolph, Robt. Mosely, Jno. Williamson and Jno. Redford, Gent., Vestrymen.

Willirm Lewis having taken the Oath of a Vestryman takes his seat accordingly.

Dr. Henrico Parish for the year 1748.

To the Reverend William Stith, Minister, Salary and cask,	16,640
To John Bryant, reader,	1,789
To Mark Clarke, do.,	1,789
To William Street, do.,	1,789
To Solomon Cary, Clerk Vestry,	450
To John Hobson, Sexton,	536
To Elenor Williams, do.,	536
To John Shoemaker, for Cleaning the Arbour,	536
To the Church Wardens, for Bread and Wine,	344
To do., for keeping Mary Burnett,	1,000
To the Church Wardens, for Jane Jennings,	600
To Colo. Richard Randolph, for the use of Benja. Goode,	896
To the Church Wardens, for Elizabeth Bailey,	850
To Edmond Allen, for his son, an Idiot,	1,000
To Colo. Richard Randolph, for Wm. Ford,	600
To do., for Lame Childers,	500
To the Church Wardens, for James Jennett,	800
To William Lawless, for keeping Mary Burnet's bastard child, she being an Idiot, and upon ye Parish,	600
To Robert Morris, for burying Rebecca Pruitt,	200
To Danil Baker,	600
To John Liptrott,	400
To Anne Smith,	300
To Peter Randolph, for keeping Eliz'a Bailey the re- maining part of her life,	600
To John Jones, for keeping his Daughter, being a Fool,	300
To Humphrey Smith, for keep'g Thomas Bethel,	500

To Godfrey Piles, for a levy overcharged in 1746,	33
To Charles Ballow, for insolvents,	490
To the Church Wardens, to be sold for the use of the Parish,	16,349
To Commiffion on 54,284 lb Tob'o at 6 p. ct.,	3,257

Henrico Parish Cr.

By 1,324 Tithables at 41 p poll,	54,284
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Ordered—

That the Church Wardens take the necessary method to recover 6,706 pounds Tob'o, Levied in 1746, for the use of the Parish, w'ch was collected by Richard Deane, and not Accounted for.

John Poval and Peter Randolph, Gent., are appointed Church Wardens for the ensuing year, and have taken the Oath Accord'ly.

Ordered—

That the Church Wardens Agree with Workmen to build a house upon the Gleebe, 48 by 20, two outside chimneys, a cellar 20 by 20, to be finished Strong, Neat and Plain.

Jno. Ellis is Elected Vestryman in the room of Daniel Price, who refuses to act.

JOHN POVALL,
PETER RANDOLPH,
Church Wardens.

We, the subscribers, in Obedience to an order of the Vestry, held at Curl's, for Henrico Parish, have processioned the lands within the precincts hereafternamed, viz.: between Corneliuf's and four mile Creek, thence back to the seven pines Road, Including the fork of Boar Swamp; the line between Garrard, Robert Ellyson and Richard Trueman, Not processioned on the Acco't of the said Richard Trueman; And the line between William Burton (living in Goochland) and Benj. Burton, not processioned, the said William not present. Frans Wagstaff, Jno. West, Richard Trueman, Junr., Thomas Bethell; 25th March, 1748.

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Purfuant to an order of Henrico Court, we, the subscribers, have proceffioned all the following lands: Capt. Jno. Walton's land, Capt. John Williamfon's land, Henry Stoke's land, Nathaniel Bacon's land, William Bacon's land, Ifaac Winton's land, William Owen's land, John Owen's land, Matthew Hobfon's land, Jno. Law's land, Eliza Watkin's land, John Orange's land, Jno. Cornet's land, William Ford's land, John Mofeby's land, James Brittain's land, James Jones' land, Thos. Conoway's land, David Terey's land, Ro. Sharp's land, William Hillery's land, James Crawford's land, Daniel Fitz Patrick's land, John Bois' land, and all other lands to us directed. Given under our hands this 24th day of March, 1747-8.

WILLIAM PALMER,
LANGSTONE BACON,
STEPHEN PANKY,
THOMAS OWEN.

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Purfuant to an order of Vestry, we, the Subscribers, have made a quiet and peacable proceffion of all the lands within our precincts, except Colo. Benjamin Harrifon, who did not appear.

JOHN MIDDLETON,
HUMPHREY SMITH,
ROBERT MATTOX.

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All the lands proceffioned in Precincts, excepting Thomas Watkins, and the reafon is he will not show his line. Mary Cannon's is Orfands Land. Colo. Benja. Harrifon no attendance, Gilligrew Marin, no attendance.

JOSEPH LEWIS,
EDW'D CARD,
DANIEL PRICE,
WILLIAM SMITH.

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In obedience to an order of Henrico Court, We, and each of us, hath gone in and proceffioned and renewed the bounds of all lands between the Mouth of Gilley's Creek and the West Ham on the river, and hath Extended back as far as

Gordon's and Mary Cannon's, with a peacable and quiet procession from under our hands.

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ROBERT COOKE,
JOHN PRICE,
JACOB SMITH,
WILLIAM SNEED.

We, the Subscribers, have processioned all the lands within our procession, according to the order of Vestry, only Michael Gathright, it being not bounded.

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EDMOND ALLEN,
THOMAS ELMORE,
WILLIAM GATHRIGHT,
WILLIAM FERRIS.

In Obedience to an Order of Vestry, to us directed, we have, with the assistance of the Neighbors and Freeholders in our Precinct, processioned all the lands therein, Save the lines Annexed, viz.: A line between John Pleasants, senr., and Chas. Woodson, the line not plain and no line.

A line between John Pleasants, Senr., and Bowler Cocke, the line not plain and the said Bowler Cocke not present, Hindered.

A line between John Pleasants, Senr. and John Pleasants, Jr., no line.

A line between do. and Thomas Holmes, no line.

Three lines between James Hatcher and do., no lines.

A line between Jno. Pleasants, Junr., and do., no line.

A line between Jno. Pleasants, Junr. and Charles Woodson, no line.

A do, between do.. and Bowler Cocke, the Same Reason.

The line between Bowler Cocke and Thomas Holmes, no line.

The line between James Hatcher and Bowler Cocke, no line.

The line between Richard Randolph and Bowler Cocke, not done, by reason neither party would attend.

The line between Richard Randolph and Jas. Pleasants, not done, by reason of Randolph's not attending.

The line between James Cocke and John Povall, not done, Cocke not attending.

The lines between Charles Carter and Peter Burton, not done, Carter being an infant.

John Povall's and Chas. Floyd's line joining Chas. Carter, not done by the same reason.

John Povall's lines between him and Robert Povall, not done, Robert being an infant.

Signed by the Proceffioners.

JOHN PLEASANTS, JUNR.,
NICHOLAS HOBSON,
JOHN PLEASANTS, (Curles,)
WILLIAM HOBSON.

Copy Test.

AT A VESTRY held at Richmond the 16th day of Nov., 1749.

Present.

The Reverend William Stith, Thomas Moseby, John Redford, Wm. Lewis, Rob't Moseby, John Williamfon, John Povall and William Randolph.

Rich'd Rocket is chosen Clerk of the Vestry in the room of Solomon Cary.

Bowler Cocke elected a Vestryman in the Room of Richard Randolph, Esqr., Died; William Randolph, Esqr., Elected Church Warden in the room of Peter Randolph, Esqr., and took the oaths accordingly.

JOHN POVALL.
WILLIAM RANDOLPH,

AT A VESTRY held at Varina, February, 6th, 1749-50.

Present.

The Reverend William Stith, William Randolph, Church Warden; Thomas Moseby John Renford, William Lewis, John Ellis, Bowler Cocke, Gent.; Vestryman, John Williamfon.

Henrico parish is Dr. for ye year 1750.

To William Stith, Minister, Salary and Cask,	16,640
To John Bryan, reader,	1,789

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ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

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To William Lawlets, for keeping Mary Burnett's child from the first of August till this time,	300
To Robert Moseby,	180
To the Church Wardens, for Francis Archer,	300
To Do., for the Widow Hanfford,	500
To lie in the Church Warden's hand till further or- ders,	13,156
To Commiffion 6 p ct.,	2,739
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By 1,368 Tithables, at 35 p pole,	47,880
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WILLIAM RANDOLPH,

JOHN POVALL,

Ch. Wardens.

AT A VESTRY, held at Richmond Town, the 29 day
of September, 1750.

Present.

The Reverend William Stith, Minister, William Randolph
and John Povall, Church Wardens.

John Redford, Bowler Cocke, John Ellis and John William-
son, Gent'n Vestrymen.

Henrico Parish Dr. for the year 1761.

To William Stith, Minister, fallery and calf,	16,640
To John Bryan, Reader,	1,789
To Mark Clarke, Do.,	1,789
To William Street, Do.,	1,789
To Richard Rocket, Clerk of the Vestry,	450
To John Hobton, Sexton,	536
To Elenor Williams, Do.,	536
To John Shoemaker, Do.,	536
To the Church Wardens, for Bread and Wine,	344
To Benjamin Goode,	1,000
To Jane Jennings,	600
To Mary Burnett,	896
To Mary Allen, for her Son, an Idiott,	1,000

To William Ford,	600
To Limme Childers,	500
To James Jennitt,	800
To Daniel Baker,	600
To Francis Archer,	300
To the Widow Hansford,	500
To John Oakling, for keeping James Brown 6 weeks and burying him,	200
To John Burton, for Sundry Goods brought for Mary Brown, and Carrying her to Blisland Parish,	300
To Johnathan Williams, for repairing the Church Yard, &c.,	50
The Church Wardens, to be paid John Shoemaker, when he acknowledges a deed for one Acre of Land whereon the Deep Run Church stands,	100
To Doctor Hopper, for cutting off Cowfell's Arms,	500
To lie in the Church Warden's hands till further or- ders,	14,807
	<hr/> 47,162
To Commission at 6 ¢ ct.,	2,818
	<hr/> 49,980
<i>Cr.</i>	
By 1,470 Tithables, at 34 ¢ poll,	49,980

JOHN POVALL,
WILLIAM RANDOLPH.

AT A VESTRY, held at Richmond Town, August ye
17, 1751.

Present.

The Reverend Mr. William Stith, Minister; William Randolph and John Povall, Church Wardens; Richard Randolph, John Redford, John Ellis, John Winfon and Robert Moseby, Vestrymen.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly of this colony, and in obedience to an Order of Henrico Court, the Parish is divided into Precincts, and persons appointed in each precinct to Procession and renew the Bounds of each persons Land.

First Precinct.

Ordered—

That Richard Cottrel, John Lancafter, Joseph Ellis and Joseph Freeman, with the Assistance of the Neighbouring freeholders, do, before the last day of March next, procession and renew the bounds of all lands from the Mouth of great Westham to William Gordon's, thence upwards between Gordon's Road and James River to the head of the Parish; and that the said Richard Cottrell, John Lancafter, Joseph Ellis and Joseph Freeman, or any two of them, do take and return to the Vestry an Acco. of every Persons Land by them Processioned, together with the names of those present, and also what land they fail to procession, and the Particular reason of such failure.

2nd.

From William Gordon's Road to the head of the Parish, thence to Chickahominy Swamp, and down that to Turner's Run, and up Hungry Branch to the head of land Brook, and from thence to Gordon's Aforesaid. Robert Moseby, Junr., Theopilus Favours, Richard Holland, Wm. Brittain, are appointed Processioners.

Third Precinct.

All between Chickahominy Swamp and Ofland Brook to the head of the said Brook. Henry Stokes, William Bacon and Joseph Parsons, Junr.

4th.

All between Chickahominy Swamp and the Brook Road, as low as Cannon's and Smith's Mill. John Pleasants, John Smith and Drury Wood.

5.

All between the Mouth of Gilley's Creek and great Westham on the River, and to extend as far back as Cannon's and Gordon's. William Deriguid, Dacy Southall and John Gunn.

6.

From the Mouth of Gilley's Creek on James River to Jno. Lewis on Chickahominy Swamp, thence upwards as high as Cannon's and Smith's Mill. Thomas Watkins, William Price and Thomas Cocke.

7.

All between Gilley's Creek and Corneliuf's, from the River back as far as the Seven Pines Road, and as low as the Southern Branch Bridge. David Burton, John Alday, Jr., Thomas Alday and Nicholas Giles, Junr.

8.

All between Corneliuf's and Two Mile Creek, James River and the Main Country Road. Milner Redford, Hays Whitlow, Lufby Turpin and Thomas Jordan.

9.

All between two Mile Creek, Four Mile Creek, James River, from the and the Main Country Road. William Sharpe, William Pierce and Francis Pierce.

10.

All between Corneliuf's and Four Mile Creek, from the Main Country Road to Seven Pines Road. John Whitlow, James Whitlow, William Whitlow and Richard Reynard.

11.

All between William Lewif's and Boar Swamp on Chickahominy, to extend back as far as the head of Boar Swamp. Julius Allen, Martin Martin and Anthony Matthews.

Twelfth Precinct.

From the Mouth of Boar Swamp to the County Line on Chickahominy, thence to extend Southward as far as the Long Bridge Road. George Pyke, Thomas Watkins and John Hales.

13.

All between Four Mile Creek, Bailey's Run and White Oak Swamp. Jos. Hobson, Jno. Hobson and Saml. Gathright.

14.

All between Bailey's Run, The County Line and the Western Run. Charles Woodson, James Hatcher and Step. Wood.

15.

All between the head of Bailey's Run, the Western Run and the county line, to extend Northward as far as the fork of

the Long Bridge Road. John Middleton, Humphrey Smith and Edward East.

Ifaac Winston, Junr., is Elected a Vestryman in the room of Beverly Randolph, Esqr., deceas'd.

WILLIAM RANDOLPH,
JOHN POVALL.

AT A VESTRY, held at Richmond Town the 3d day of December, 1751.

Present.

The Reverend Mr. William Stith, Minister; William Randolph and John Povall, Church Wardens; Richard Randolph, Bowler Cocke, Junr., William Lewis, John Williamson, Robert Moseby and John Ellis, Gent. Vestrymen.

Richard Randolph, John Williamson, Gent'm. are elected Church Wardens in the room of Wm. Randolph and John Povall, and took the Oath Accordingly.

Ordered—The Churchwardens do agree with the workmen to repair and Paint the Church at Curle's, and do whats necessary to the Church at Richmond.

Henrico Parish Dr., for the year 1752.

To William Stith, Minister,	17,280
To John Bryan, Reader,	1,789
To Mark Clarke, Do.,	1,789
To William Street, Do.,	1,789
To Richard Rockett, clk. Vest'y ye process'g year,	895
To John Hobson, Sexton,	536
To Ellenor Williams, Do.,	536
To John Shoemaker, Do.,	536
To the Church Wardens, for Bread and Wine,	344
To Benjamin Goode,	500
To Mary Burnett,	896
To Mary Allen, for her son, an Idiott,	1,000
To William Ford,	600
To Lemme Childers,	500
To Daniel Baker,	600
To Francis Archer,	400

To Thomas Bates, for keeping Ann Smith last year,	300
To Ann Smith, for the ensuing year,	300
To John Liptrott,	400
To lie in the Church Warden's hands till further orders,	14,962
To Obadiah Robinson,	500
To Commission at 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ cent,	2,784
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	49,236

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By 1,492 Tythables @ 33 $\frac{1}{2}$ Pole,	49,236
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The Reverend Mr. Willam Stith resigns this Parish the first day of October next, he being chosen Minister of S. Anns; and it is ordered that the Church Wardens write to the Reverend Mr. Roscow Cole, to make him an offer of the Parish.

Mark Clarke is dismissed from the office as Clerk of Curl's Church.

RICHARD RANDOLPH,
JOHN WILLIAMSON.

In Obedience to the Within order, we, the Subscribers, have gone in procession and renewed the bounds of the several tracts of land within the limits to us prescribed, in the presence of and the consent of the proprietors of the said lands, all excepting a line between Capt. John Williamson and Cuthbert Williamson, an orphan, which we were forbid to do. Witness our hands this 21 Feb'y, 1752.

JOHN PLEASANTS.
JOHN SMITH,
DRURY WOOD.

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AT A VESTRY, held at Richmond, the 22d day June, 1752.

Present.

The Hon'ble Peter Randolph, Esqr., Mr. William Stith, Minister; Richard Randolph and John Williamson, Church Wardens; Bowler Cocke, Junr., William Randolph, John Ellis and William Lewis, Gentlemen, Vestrymen.

The Reverend Mr. Joseph Bewfher is unanimously elected

Minister in the room of Mr. William Stith, to enclose on his office the first day of October next. Mark Clark is elected Clerk of Curl's Church in the room of his father.

JOHN WM'SON,
RICHARD RANDOLPH.

AT A VESTRY, held in Richmond Town the 25th day of August, 1752.

Present.

The Hon'ble Peter Randolph, Esqr., Richard Randolph and John Williamson, Church Wardens; John Povall, Bowler Cocke, William Lewis and John Ellis, Gentlemen, Vestrymen.

Mr. Samuel Duval ²⁰ is elected a Vestryman in the Room of John Redford, Deceased.

Mr. Joseph Lewis is Elected a Vestryman in the room of Isaac Winston, who refuseth to act.

The Reverend Mr. Miles Selden ²¹ is unanimously elected Minister in the room of Mr. Joseph Bewsher, who resigns this Parish, to enter on his office the first day October next.

RICHARD RANDOLPH,
JOHN WM'SON.

AT A VESTRY, held at Richmond Town the 8th day of December, 1752

Present.

The Rev'd Miles Selden, William Randolph, John Williamson, John Povall, Bowler Cocke, Jr., William Lewis, John Ellis and Robt. Moseby, Gent. Abraham Conley, Jr., is chosen clerk of the Vestry in the room of Rich'd Rockett, who having resigned.

Samuel Du Vall and Joseph Lewis, Gent., take the Oaths to the Government and Subscribe the Test. Order'd—That the Minister perform Divine Service at the Upper Church once in five Weeks. Ordered—That Mr. Samuel Du Vall value the Porches of the Gleabe, and that the Church Wardens pay Colo. Bland what they they shall be valued at over and above his agreement. Ordered—That the Church Wardens agree with workmen to raile the Church yard and to pail in a garden at the Gleabe.

Ordered—That the Collector allow Sarah Scott 500 lb of Tobo. out of the fines due to this Parish, and that Wm. Green be allowed five hundred pounds of Tobo. out of the fines. Judith Ruff, exempted from paying the Parish Levy.

Bowler Cocke, Jr. and Samuel Du Vall, Gent., are appointed Church Wardens for the ensuing year.

*Henrico Parish,**Dr.*

To the Rev'd Mr. William Stith, for one half year's Sallery,	8,320
To the Rev'd Mr. Miles Selden,	8,320
To John Bryant,	1,789
To Mark Clark, Jr.,	1,789
To William Street,	1,789
To Richard Rockett, late clk. Vestry,	500
To John Hobson Sexton,	536
To Elenor Williams, Do.,	536
To John Shoemaker, Do.,	536
To the Church Wardens, for Bread and Wine,	344
To Benjamin Goode,	500
To Mary Burnet,	896
To Mary Allen, for her Son, an Idiot,	1,000
To William Ford,	600
To Lemmy Childers,	500
To Daniel Bacon,	600
To Francis Archer,	400
To Ann Smith,	300
To John Liptrott,	500
To Obadiah Robinson,	400
To Margaret Leigh, for taking care of Lucy Freeman,	300
To lye in the hands of the Church Wardens till further orders,	11,205
To the Collectors Commissions,	2,730
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	45,510

Gr.

By 1,517 Tithables at 30 lb Tobacco @ pole, 45,510
 BOWLER COCKE, SAML. DU VAL.

AT A VESTRY, held at Richmond Town the 15th day of October, 1753.

Present.

The Rev'd Miles Selden, William Randolph, Bowler Cocke, Richard Randolph, Robert Moseby, John Williamfon, Joseph Lewis, John Ellis, Samuel Du Vall and William Lewis, Gent. Vestry.

<i>Henrico Parish,</i>	<i>Dr.</i>
To the Rev'd Miles Selden,	16,640
To John Bryan, clk.,	1,789
To Mark Clark, Junr.,	1,789
To William Street,	1,789
To Abalom Cowley, clk. Vestry,	500
To Thomas Holmes, sexton,	550
To Elenor Williams,	536
To John Shoemaker,	536
To the Church Wardens, for Bread and Wine,	344
To Benjamin Goode,	500
To Mary Burnett,	896
To Mary Allen, for her Son, an Idiot,	1,000
To William Ford,	600
To Lemmy Childers.	500
To Dannel Baker,	400
To Francis Archer,	500
To Anne Smith,	500
To John Liptrott,	500
To Margaret Leepor, for taking care of John Lee,	500
To James Lucas,	200
To Matthew Bridgeman, for taking care of Obadiah Robinson,	232
To the Rev'd Miles Selden, short levy'd last year,	665
To the Rev'd Miles Selden, four p &c. on his Sallery, allowed by him,	300
To Benjamin Goode, for keeping Freeman's child,	500
To John Goode and his Wife,	333
To Lye in the hands of the Church Wardens till farther orders,	20,139
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To the Sheriff's Commissions, 3,197

Gr.

By 1,490 Tithables, at 30 lb Tob'o $\frac{1}{2}$ pole, 56,651
56,621

Nathaniel Bridgewater is exempted from paying the Parish Levy.

Ordered—That the Church Wardens pay the William Stith twenty-four pounds ten shilling for the work done to the Gleabe at Varina.

Ordered—That the Church Wardens pay to John Williamson sixteen pounds eleven and six pence for money expended on the Poore of the Parish.

Ordered—That the Church Wardens Agree with Workmen to Build a Hen House, and Repair and move the stable on the Glebe.

William Randolph and Joseph Lewis are appointed Church Wardens for the ensuing year.

Ordered—That Richard Randolph pay the money in his hands to the Church Wardens.

WILLIAM RANDOLPH.

JOSEPH LEWIS.

AT A VESTRY, held at Richmond Town, Nov. 7th, 1754.

Present.

The Rev'd Miles Selden, William Randolph, Joseph Lewis, John Williamson, John Povall, William Lewis, John Williamson and Samuel Du Vall, Gent. of the Vestry.

Henrico Parish,

Dr.

To the Rev'd Miles Selden,	17,150
To John Bryan, clk.,	1,789
To Mark Clarke, Junr.,	1,789
To William Street,	1,789
To Abraham Cowley, Clerk Vestry,	500
To Thomas Hoomes, Sexton,	536
To Elenor Williams,	536
To John Shoemaker,	536
To the Church Wardens, for Bread and Wine,	344
To Benjamin Goode,	500

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

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To Mary Burnet,	896
To Mary Allen, her son, an Idot,	1,000
To William Ford,	600
To Lemmy Childers,	500
To John Liptrott,	500
To Francis Archer,	400
To Margaret Lee, for taking care of John Lee,	500
To James Lucas,	500
To Benjamin Goode, for taking Freeman's child,	300
To John Goode and his wife,	500
To Robert Yaxley, for keeping Elinor Addam's Child,	500
To lye in the hands of the Church Wardens till further orders,	1,425
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	33,090
To the Collector's Commissions,	1,985
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<i>Cr.</i>	35,075
By 1,525 Tithables, at 23 ³ / ₄ pole,	35,075

John Povall and Joseph Lewis are chosen Church Wardens for the ensuing year.

Ordered—That the Present Church Wardens pay the balance of twenty seven pounds seaventeen shillings and two pence, which they have in their hands, to the Church Wardens for the Enfuing year.

Ordered—That the Church Wardens pay Samuel Du Vall seaven pounds seven shillings and six pence, the Ballance of his acco't for repairing the Church at Curls.

JOHN POVALL,
JOSEPH LEWIS.

AT A VESTRY, held at Richmond Town, July 25th,
1755.

Present.

William Randolph, William Lewis, John Povall, Bowler Cocke, John Ellifs, Samuel Du Vall, John Williamfon, Joseph Lewis.

Purfuant to an Act of Assembly of this Colony and in obedience

to an order of Henrico Court, the Parish, as divided into precincts, and persons appointed in each precinct to procession and renew the bounds of each persons land.

First Precinct.

Ordered—That Richard Cottrell, David Staples, Henry Ellifs, and Joseph Ellifs, with the assistance of the Neighboring Freeholders, do, before the 11th day of April next, procession and renew the bounds of all the lands from the mouth of great Westham to William Gordon's, thence upwards between Gordon's road and James River, to the head of the Parish; and that the said Richard Cottrell, David Staples, Henry Ellifs, William and Joseph Ellifs, or any two of them, do make and return to this Vestry, an acco't of Every person's land by them processioned, together with the names of those present, and also what lands they fail to procession, and the particular reason of such failure.

2.

From William Gordon's road to the head of the Parish, thence to Chickahominy Swamp, and down that to Turner's Run, and up Hungry Branch, to the head of Ofland Brook, and down thence to Gordon's aforesaid. Robert Moseby, Jr., Joseph Parson, Junr., Isaac Winston, Joseph Parson, Junr. Out.

3.

All between Chickahominy Swamp and Upland Brook, to the head of said Brook. Nathaniel Bacon, Henry Stokes, Elifha Miller and William Bacon. Out.

4.

All between Chickahominy Swamp and the Brook Road, as low as Cannon and Smith's Mill. John Smith, John Pleafants, Robt. Sharpe, Jr. Drury Wood.

5.

All between the mouth of Gilley's Creek and great Westham on the river, and to be extended back as far as Cannon's and Gordon's. Jacob Smith, John Gunn, Davy Southall, Valentine Ball.

6.

From the mouth of Gilley's Creek, on James river, to Joseph Lewis on Chickahominy Swamp, thence upwards as high as Cannon's and Smith's Mill. William Smith, Edward Curd, John Harwood, Nat Vandevall.

7.

All between Gilley's Creek and Cornellyfes, from the river, back as far as Seven Pines Road, and as low as the Southern Branch Bridge. Thomas Aldy, Nicholas Giles, Junr., Matthew Herbert, Nicholas Malor. Out.

8.

All between Corneliffus and two mile creek, the main country road and the river. John Stewart, Benja. Burton, John Burton, richard renalds.

9.

All between two mile creek, four mile creek, James river and the main co'y road. Milenor Redford, John redford, Francis Pierce and William Parker.

10.

All between Cornellyfes and four mile creek, from the main co'y road to Seaven Pines road. James Whitlow, William Whitlow, Henry Whitlow and Richard Whitlow.

11.

All between Joseph Lewis and Boar Swamp on Chickahominy, to extend back as far as the head of Boar Swamp. Julius Allen, Anthony Matthews, William Gathwrite and Robert Spears.

12.

From the mouth of Boar Swamp to the co'y line on Chickahominy, thence to extend Southward as far as the Long Bridge Road. Thomas Watkins, Benja. Burton, Benja. Jordan, John Carter, John White.

13.

All between four mile Creek, Bailey's Run and White Oak Swamp. Joseph Hopfin, Samuel Gathwrite, William Hopfin, James Linsey.

14.

All between Bailey's Run, the Co'y Line and the Western Run Branch. Charles Woodson, Stephen Woodson, John Pleasants, Baily, and Robert Pleasants, Junr.

Fifteenth Precinct.

All between the head of Bailey's run, the Western Run, and the County Line, to extend Northward as far as the fork of the Long Bridge road. John Martin, Humphrey Smith, John Royster and John Brackett.

JOHN POVALL,
JOSEPH LEWIS.

AT A VESTRY, held in Richmond Town the 4th day of Nov'r, 1755.

Prejent.

The Rev'd Miles Selden, William Randolph, John Povall, Richard Randolph, Joseph Lewis, Jno. Williamson, William Lewis, Samuel Du Vall and rob't Moseby, Gent. Veftry.

*Henrico Parish,**Dr.*

To the Rev'd Miles Selden,	17,150
To John Bryan, clk.,	1,789
To Martha Clark, Junr.,	1,789
To William Street,	1,789
To Abraham Cowley,	700
To Thomas Homes, Sexton,	536
To Elenor Williams,	536
To John Shoemaker,	536
To the Church Wardens, for Bread and Wine,	344
To Benjamin Goode,	300
To Mary Burnet,	896
To Mary Allen, her son, an Idiot,	800
To William Ford,	500
To Lemmy Childers,	250
To John Liptrott	250
To Francis Archer,	300
To Margaret Lee, for the care of John Lee,	400
To Benjamin Good, for the care of Freeman's child,	300

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

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To John Good and wife,	500
To Susanna Morton,	250
To Matthew Herbert for keeping Freeman's child,	300
To James Woodfin, for keeping Wm. Taylor's children,	400

To the Collector's Commissions,	30,615
To lye in the hands of the Church Wardens,	1,871
	500

<i>Gr.</i>	33,066
By 1,503, Tythables @ 22 $\frac{1}{2}$ pole,	33,066

Ordered—That the Church Wardens, repay robert Goode, for 16 Tythables, at 23 $\frac{1}{2}$ pole, over lifted last year; likewise repay James Brittain for one Tythe a 23, over lifted last year.

Richard Randolph and Joseph Lewis, are elected Church Wardens for the ensuing year.

RICHARD RANDOLPH,
JOSEPH LEWIS.

In Obedience to an Order of Henrico Vestry, we have Proceffion the Lines According to the Within Order, from the mouth of Gilley's Creek to Cannon's, and from thence to Westham, with Peacable and Quiet Possession. Given under our hands this 7th day of Aprill, 1756.

DASEY SOUTHALL,
JACOB SMITH.

According to the Within Order, we have proceffioned all the lands in our precincts, besides the lines between Capt. James Cock and Thomas Watkins, ye s'd Watkins refusing; and a line between John Williamson, Junr., and Thomas Franklin, for want of Attendance Apr. 9th, 1756.

WILLIAM SMITH,
NAT VANDERVALL,
JNO. HARWOOD,
EWD CURD.

In obedience to an order of the Vestry, we have proceffioned

and renewed the bounds of every person's lands mentioned in the within order.

THOMAS WATKINS,
JOHN CARTER,
ISAAC WHITE.

Pursuant to an order of the Vestry of Henrico, we have, in Obedience to the f'd order, renewed all the lands in our precincts, except as follows: The lands bound between Joseph Bailey and Hickison Cox, by reason of the f'd Cox not being present.

The lands between John Cox and Dickinson Cox, for the reason aforesaid.

The lands between George Cox, Orphan; Edw'd Cox, Dec'd, and Thomas Perkins; no person appearing for f'd Orphan.

The lands between Lisby Turpin and Dickinson Cox, the f'd Cox not appearing.

The lands between Edw'd Osburn and the afores'd George Cox, for the reason aforesaid.

The lands between Thomas Jordan and the f'd George Cox, for the reason aforesaid.

The lands between Thomas Randolph, orphan of William Randolph, dec'd; and the lands of Jno. Bowling, the Glebe land, Harwood Bullington, William Parker, Thomas Jordan, Robert Bullington; no person appearing for the f'd Orphan.

The lands between Jno. Bowling and the Glebe lands, the f'd Bowling not appearing.

The lands between Jno. Bowling, and Harwood Bullington, an infant, neither parties being present.

The lands between John Bolling and Thomas Jordan, for the reason aforesaid.

The lands between Harwood Bullington, infant, William Parker, no person appearing for f'd infant.

The lands between Wm. Epps and Jno. Stewart, Thos. Branch, Wm. Burton, Alex'r Long, Jno. Bowling, William Randolph, Jno. Cox, Benja. Burton: the f'd Wm. Epps not being present.

JOHN STEWART,
RICHARD RENARD,
JNO. BURTON.

Pursuant to an order of Vestry, we have possessed and renewed the bounds of all the lands within the limits to as mentioned in presence and with the consent of all the proprietors.

ROBERT SHARPE,
JNO PLEASANTS,
JNO. SMITH,
DRURY WOOD.

Pursuant to an order of the Vestry, we have renewed the bounds of all the lands therein mentioned, excepting a line between Nicholas Medor and Ben. Burton; the parties not agreeing to have done; and Philip Mayo land, no person appearing.

NAT'L BACON,
HENRY BACON,
ELISHA MILLER,

Pursuant to an order of Vestry, we, the Subscribers, have possessed and renewed all the lines in our precinct.

JAMES WHITLOW,
WM. WHITLOW,
HENRY WHITLOW,
RICHARD WHITLOW.

Pursuant to an order of Vestry, we have renewed the bounds of all the lands therein mention, except as followeth:

Between John Bowling and Jno. Redford, Jno. Bowlinge and Hays Whitlow, Robert Pleasant and Millenor Redford, Jno. Pleasants, Senr., Jno. Pleasants, Junr., and Millenor Redford; they all failing to attend.

MILLENOR REDFORD,
JNO. REDFORD,
FRANCIS PIERCE,
WILLIAM PARKER.

AT A VESTRY, held at Richmond Town January 3d, 1757.

Present.

The Rev'd Miles Selden, William Randolph, Bowler Cocke, William Lewis, John Williamson, Samuel Du Vall, Richard Randolph, Joseph Lewis and John Elliff, Gent. Vestry.

<i>Henrico Parish,</i>	<i>Dr.</i>
To the Rev'd Miles Selden,	17,150
To John Bryan, clk.,	1,789
To Mark Clark, Junr.,	1,789
To William Street,	1,789
To Abraham Cowley, Clk. Vestry,	500
To Thomas Homes, sexten,	536
To Elenor Williams,	536
To John Shoemaker,	536
To the Church Wardens,	344
To Benjamin Goode,	500
To Mary Allen, her son, an Ideot,	800
To William Ford,	500
To Lemmy Childers,	250
To John Liptrott,	250
To Francis Archer,	400
To Margaret Lee, for the Care of John Lee,	400
To Benjamin Goode, for the care of Freeman's child,	300
To John Goode and Wife,	250
To Sufanna Morton,	250
To Matthew Herbert, for the care of Freeman's child,	300
To James Woodfin, for the care of Taylor's children,	500
To Edward Pryor, for the care of his child,	250
To the Church Wardens, for the maintainance of John Liggon's wife and child,	800
To lye in the hands of the Church Wardens,	674
To the Collector's Commiffions,	2,003
<i>Gr</i>	33,396
By 1,518 Tithables at 22 ³ / ₄ pole,	33,396

Richard Randolph and Joseph Lewis is elected Church Wardens for the ensuing year.

RICHARD RANDOLPH,
JOSEPH LEWIS.

AT A VESTRY, held at Richmond Town, December the 5th, 1757,

Present.

The Rev'd William Selden, Miles Randolph, Samuel Du Vall, Joseph Lewis, John Povall, Richard Randolph, William Lewis, John Elliff, Gent. Vestry.

Thomas Adams²² is elected a Vestryman in the room of John Williamfon, dec'd.

<i>Henrico Parish,</i>	<i>Dr.</i>
To the Rev'd Miles Selden,	17,150
To John Bryan, clk.,	1,789
To Mark Clark, Junr.,	1,789
To William Street,	1,789
To Abraham Cowley,	500
To Agneff Homes, sexton,	536
To Elenor Williams,	536
To John Shoemaker,	536
To the Church Wardens,	344
To Benjamin Goode,	500
To Mary Allen, her son, an idiot,	800
To William Ford,	500
To Lemmy Childers,	250
To John Liptrott,	300
To Margaret Lee, for the care of John Lee,	400
To Benjamin Goode, for the care of Freeman's child,	300
To John Goode and wife,	300
To Sarah Morton,	240
To James Woodfin, for the care of Taylor's children,	500
To the Church Wardens, for the care of John Liggan's wife and child,	800
To Matthew Herbert for the care of Freeman's child,	300
To Stephen Childers, for the care of his son's child,	250
To John Shoemaker, for one acre of land where Deep Run Chapel stands,	100
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To lye in the hands of the Church Wardens,	30,019
To the Collector's Commissions,	2,259
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	2,692

<i>Cr.,</i>	24,870
By 1,585 Tiths. at 22 $\frac{1}{2}$ pole,	34,870

Richard Randolph and Joseph Lewis are appointed Church Wardens for the ensuing year.

Mr. Samuel Du Vall, Sheriff, is appointed the Parish Collector for the ensuing year.

Ordered—That the Church Wardens take bond of him according to law.

RICHARD RANDOLPH,
JOSEPH LEWIS.

AT A VESTRY, held at Richmond Town, Dec. 17th, 1758.

Present.

The Rev'd Miles Selden, William Randolph, Bowler Cocke, William Lewis, Thomas Addams, Joseph Lewis, John Ellis and Richard Randolph, Senr.

Richard Randolph and Joseph Lewis are appointed Church Wardens for the ensuing year.

<i>Henrico Parish,</i>	<i>Dr.</i>
To the Rev'd Miles Selden,	17,150
To John Bryan, clk.,	1,789
To Mark Clark, Junr.,	1,789
To William Street,	1,789
To Abraham Cowley,	500
To Agnes Homes, Sexton,	536
To Elenor Williams,	536
To John Shoemaker,	536
To the Church Wardens,	344
To Benjamin Goode,	500
To Mary Allen, for her Son, an Ideot,	800
To William Ford,	500
To Lemmy Childers,	500
To John Liptrott,	300
To Margaret Lee, for the use of John Lee,	700
To Susanna Morton,	250
To James Woodfin, for the care of Taylor's Children,	500

To the Church Wardens, for the care of John Liggon's Wife and child,	1,200
To William Ford's Wife,	300
To Mary Walters,	500
To Samuel Liggon, for the care of John Liggon's Child,	250
To John Hobson, for the care of Rob't Down's chil- dren two y'rs past,	600
To the Sheriff for insolvents,	484
To Robert Cooke, for the care of Sufannah, a Molatto,	400
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To the Sheriff's Commiffions,	32,753
To lye in the hands of the Church Wardens,	2,151
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<i>Cr.</i>	35,860
By 1,630 Tiths at 22 $\frac{1}{2}$ Poles,	35,860

Mr. Samuel Du Vall, Sher'f, is appointed the Parish Collec-
tor for the Ensuing Year.

Ordered—That the Church Wardens take Bond of him
According to Law.

RICHARD RANDOLPH,
JOSEPH LEWIS.

AT A VESTRY, held for Henrico Parish at Richmond
Town, Oct'r, 11th, 1759.

Present.

The Rev'd Miles Selden, Richard Randolph, Bowler Cocke,
William Lewis, John Ellis, Samuel Du Vall, and Joseph Lewis,
Gent.

<i>Henrico Parish,</i>	<i>Dr.</i>
To the Rev'd Miles Selden,	17,150
To John Bryan, clk.,	1,789
To Mark Clark, Junr.,	1,789
To William Street,	1,789
To Abraham Cowley,	800
To Agnes Homes, sexton,	536
To Elenor Williams,	536

To John Shoemaker,	536
To the Church Wardens,	344
To Benjamin Goode,	500
To Mary Allen, her son an Ideot,	1,000
To William Ford and Wife,	500
To Lemmy Childers,	500
To John Liptrott,	300
To Margaret Lee, for the Care of John Lee,	1,000
To Sufanna Morton,	400
To Elizabeth Dorton, for the care of John Liggon's wife,	1,000
To Mary Walters,	500
To Robert Cook, for the care of Sufannah, a Molatto,	200
To Hays Whitlow, for the care of Mary Prevdo's child, a Bastard,	600
To Elizabeth Lucas,	400
To Thomas Watkins, for his care of William Chap- man,	400
To the Collector's Commissions,	2,126
To lye in the hands of the Church Wardens,	753

<i>Cr</i>	35,448
By 1,658 Tiths at 21 ¢ pole,	35,448

Mr. Ryland Randolph² is Elected a Vestryman in the room of Thomas Mosby who has resigned.

Ordered—That the Church Wardens Agree with the Workmen to Dig & Brick a Well at the Gleab, & make all such repairs as they shall think Necessary & a Greeable to law.

Mr. Philip Mayo, Shf., is appointed the Parish Collector for the Ensuing Year. Ordered—That the Church Wardens take Bond and Security of him according to law.

Ordered—That the present Church Wardens settle the Acc'ts of Richard Randolph and Lewis, late Church Wardens.

Col'o Richard Randolph and Samuel Duvall are Chofen Church Wardens for the Ensuing Year.

Purfuant to an Act of Assembly of this Colony, and in obedience to an order of Henrico County Court, the Parish is divided in to Precincts and persons appointed in each Precinct to procession and renew the Bounds of each Person's land.

I.

Ordered—That Rich'd Cottrell, David Staples, Henry Ellifs, William Ellifs and Joseph Ellifs, with the Assistance of the Neighboring Freeholders, do begin the 11th day of April next, procession and renew the bounds of all the lands from the mouth of Great West Ham to William Gordon's, thence upwards between Gordon's road and James river to the head of this parish, and that the said Richard Cottrell, David Staples, Henry Ellifs, William Ellifs and Joseph Ellifs, or any two of them, do make and return to this Vestry an acc't of every person's lands by them processioned, together with the names of those present, and also what lands they fail to procession and the particular reason of such failure.

2d.

From William Gordon's road to the head of the Parish, thence to Chickahominy swamp, and down that to Turner's run, and up Hungary Branch to the head of Upland Brook, and from thence to Gordon's aforefaid—Thomas Wilkinfon, Nathaniel Wilkinfon, Thomas Owen and William Bacon.

3d.

All between Chickahominy Swamp and Upland Brook to the head of the said Brook—Henry Stokes, Elifha Miller, William Jones and John Moteby.

4.

All between Chickahominy Swamp and the Brook road, as low as Cannon & Smith's mill—John Smith, John Pleasants, Robert Williamson and Drury Wood.

5.

All between the mouth of Gilley's Creek and the great Westham on the river, and to be extended back as far as Cannon's and Gordon's—Jacob Smith, John Gunn, Turner Southall and Benjamin Clarke.

6.

From the mouth of Gilley's Creek, on James River, to Joseph Lewis's, on Chickahominy Swamp, thence upwards as high

as Cannon's and Smith's Mill—William Smith, Edward Curd, John Harwood and Nath'l Vandevall.

7.

All between Gilley's Creek and Cornelliffes, from the river back as far as the Seven Pines Road, and as low as the Southern Branch Bridge—Jacob Burton, Nicholas Giles, Matthew Herbert and Nicholas Mealor.

8.

All between Cornelliffes and two Mile Creek, the main County Road and the River—John Stewart, John Burton, son of Wm. Josiah Bullington, and Thomas Jordan, Jun'r.

9.

All between two mile Creek, Four mile Creek and the river and the main County road—Milner Redford, John Redford, Francis Pierce and William Parker.

10.

All between Cornellifes and Four mile Creek, from the main County road to Seven Pines road—James Whitlow, William Whitlow, Henry Whitlow and Richard Whitlow.

11.

All between Joseph Lewis and Boar Swamp, on Chickahominy, to extend back as far as the head of Boar Swamp—Julius Allen, Anthony Matthews, William Gathright and Robert Spears.

12.

From the mouth of Boar Swamp to the County line on Chickahominy, thence to extend Southward as far as the Long Bridge Road—Thomas Waitkins, Isaac White, John Carter and John Hayles.

13.

All between Four mile Creek, Bailey's Run and White Oak Swamp—Joseph Hobfin, Samuel Gathright, William Hobfin and Thomas Childrey.

14.

All between Bailey's Run, the County line and the Western

Branch—Charles Woodson, John Pleasants, Jr., Bailey,
Robert Pleasants, Jun'r and John Martin.

15.

All between the Head of Bailey's Run, the Western Run and the County line, to extend North Ward as far as the fork of the Long Bridge Road—Humphrey Smith, John Royster, John Middleton and Martin Martin, Sr.

SAMUEL DU VALL,
RICHARD RANDOLPH.

We have processioned the lands between Two mile Creek and Fore mile Creek, the River and main County road ; the line between Robert Pleasants and Milner Redford, processioned—Jno. Pleasants, Robert Pleasants, John Redford and Milner Redford, present ; the lines between John Redford and Milner Redford, agreed, John and Milner Redford, present ; the lines between John Pleasants and Francis Pierce, failing to meet ; the lines between John Bolling and John Redford, not done, Bolling failing to mete ; the lines between Hays Whitlow and John Pleasants, Jun'r, not done, Pleasants failing to meet ; the lines between John Frazure and Andrew Redford, not done, Andrew under age ; likewise Andrew Redford and Robert Scott, not done, the same reason ; the lines between John Bowling and Hays Whitlow, not done, Bowling failing to meet ; the line between Jno. and John Redford, agreed, John and Milner Redford, and John Redford, Jun'r, present ; the line between John Pleasants and John Sharpe, not done, failing to meet ; the line between Robert Pleasants and John Redford, agreed, Robert Pleasants and John and Milner Redford, present.

JOHN REDFORD,
MILNER REDFORD,
WILLIAM PARKER,
FRANCIS PIERCE.

In Obedience to an Order of Henrico Vestry, we have gone and processioned the lines which we were appointed to do, from Cannon's up Colo. Byrd's line, betwixt Mr. Duvall's and Mr. Byrd, James Patterfon and Drury Wood, present ; and betwixt Mr. Bird and Drury Wood ; Mr. Patterson only by

Drury Wood's orders ; and betwixt Mrs. Byrd's and Jacob Smith, present, Benjamin Clarke and James Patterson ; and betwixt John Pierce and the s'd Byrd, present, Philip Watfon, John Price and James Patterson ; and between John Price and Jacob Smith, present, Jacob Smith and Samuel Price ; and between John Price, Price and Thomas Williamson, present, Samuel Price, William Miller ; and between Jacob Smith and Thos. Williamson, present, William Miller and Samuel Price ; and between Robert Williamson and Cuthbert Williamson, present, William Bacon and Robert Sharpe ; and between Cuthbert Williamson and Jacob Smith ; and between Nathaniel Bridgewater and Thos. Wm'fon, present, Nat. Bridgewater and William Snead ; between Wm. Snead and Wm. Bridgewater ; and between Wm. Snead and Ben. Clarke ; between Wm. Bridgewater and Wm. Simes ; between Wm Simes and Johnathan Bridwater ; between Wm. Kelley and Jonath. Bridgewater ; between Wm. Kelley and George Kelley ; between George Kelley and Ben. Clarke ; between John Clarke and Thos. Lewis ; between Thomas Lewis and John Gordon and Val'e Ball ; between Valentine Ball and Ben. Clarke ; between Benjamin Clark and Philip Watfon ; between Philip Watfon and William Simms ; between William Byrd and Philip Watfon ; between William Byrd and Vallentine Ball, with Peacable and Quiet Procession, the parties being all present. Given under our hands.

BENJA. CLARK,
JACOB SMITH.

According to an Order of Henrico Vestry, we have processioned all the lines which we were appointed, from the mouth Gilley's Creek to Great Westham, with a peacable and quiet procession in the prefence of Samuel Duvall, James Patterfon, Thomas Wood, William Wood, Thomas Cardwell, John New and John Wood. Given under our hands this 7th day of April, 1760.

JOHN GUNN,
TURNER SOUTHALL.²⁴

In Obedience to an Order of Henrico Vestry, we have Peacably and Quietly processioned all the lands between the

head of Bailey's run, the Western run, and the County line, extending as far as the Fork of Long Bridge road. Given under our hands this 6th day of April, 1760.

JNO. ROYSTER,
MARTIN MARTIN.

Pursuant to an Order of Vestry of Henrico County, we have processioned and renewed all the lines within mentioned, except the line between Capt. Joseph Lewis and William Flem'g Cocke—which Cocke refusing to procession.

WILLIAM SMITH,
EDW'D CURD,
JNO. HARWOOD,
NATH'L VANDERVALL,

In Obedience to the within Order, we, the subscribers have gone in procession and renewed the Bounds of the several Tracts of land within the limits, to us subscribed, being in the presents and with the consents of the proprietors of the said lands. Witness our hands.

DRURY WOOD,
ROBT. WM'SON,
JNO. PLEASANTS,
JNO. SMITH.

Pursuant to an Order of Henrico Vestry, directed to us, we, the subscribers, have renewed the bounds of every persons land within the bounds of said order—Present, Rich'd and Robert Moore, Ephraim Gathright, William Bottom, William Ferris, Robert Ferris, John Bottom, George Adams, William Davis, Richard Whitlock, Francis Wilkinson, Robert Pleasants and Martin Martin, Jun'r, Geoge Clopton and Thomas Bottom. March 27th, 1760.

THOMAS WATKINS,
JOHN CARTER.
ISAAC WHITE.

In Obedience to an Order of the Vestry of Henrico Parish, we, the subscribers having given notice to all the freeholders

within our Precinct, have gone with and renewed the lines of the several persons as mentioned below, viz :

First, we went on the lines between Charles Woodson and William Hatcher—the said Hatcher refused to procession, saying it was not a line agreeable to his patent ; present, Richard Randolph and Ryland Randolph. Thence to the line between John Pleasants, his son Robert Pleasants and Richard Randolph, the Mark Trees were, without opposition renewed. Thence on the line between the said John Pleasants, Jr., and Wm. Hatcher's—the said Hatcher refusing to procession for the same reason as between him and Charles Woodson. Thence on the lines between John Pleasants and John Pleasants the younger—the said John Pleasants, Jun'r, refusing to procession, he alledging that if the line between him and William Hatcher is not right this cannot be so, seing they must be parrallel ; present, Richard Randolph, Bowler Cocke, John Pleasants, William Hatcher and all the processioners. At the same time, the said William Hatcher ordered us to make the proper return, which we acquainted Richard Randolph, one of the Church Wardens, with. Thence on the line between Ryland Randolph and Bowler Cocke quietly processioned and the lines renew'd. Thence on the line between the said Cocke and Richard Randolph done as aforefaid. Thence on the line between the said Randolph and John Pleasants, Jun'r, done as aforefaid ; present, Wm. Hatcher, Bowler Cocke and all the Processioners. Thence on the line between John Povall's and Robert Povall, done quietly and all the lines renewed. Thence on the line between Charles Floyd and John Povall, done as aforefaid. Thence on the line between the said John Povall and Stephen Woodson, done as aforefaid. The other lines between those parties being Water Cources ; present, John Pleasants, Charles Woodson, John Martin, John Povall, Charles Floyd, Charles Floyd, Robt. Povall and John Christian, Jr. All the other lines within our Precinct were not processioned by the parties not attending.

Given under our hands this 11th day of Aprill, 1760.

CHARLES WOODSON,
JOHN PLEASANTS, Jr.,
ROBERT PLEASANTS, Jr.,
JOHN MARTIN.

We have proceffioned all the lands that is within the within mentioned bounds without any objection.

WILLIAM HOBSON,
SAM. GATHRIGHT.

AT A VESTRY, held at Richmond Town, Dec'r 2nd,
1760:

Present.

The Rev'd Miles Selden, William Randolph, Richard Randolph, William Lewis, Robert Mosby, Joseph Lewis, Ryland Randolph, Samuel Duval, John Ellis and Thos. Adams.

<i>Henrico County,</i>	<i>Dr.</i>
To the Rev'd Miles Selden,	17,150
To John Bryan, cl'k,	1,789
To Mark Clarke,	1,789
To William Street,	1,789
To Abraham Cowley,	500
To Agnes Homes, sexton,	536
To Elenor Williams, do.,	536
To John Shoemaker,	536
To the Church Wardens,	344
To Benjamin Goode,	500
To Mary Allen, her son an idiot,	1,000
To William Ford,	500
To Lemmy Childers,	500
To John Liptrott,	500
To Margaret Lee, for the care of Jno. Lee,	1,000
To Sufannah Morton,	500
To Elizabeth Dolton, for the care of John Liggon's wife,	1,000
To Mary Walters,	500
To Thos. Watkins, for the care of Wm. Chapman,	400
To Abrah'm Cowley, for Insolvents,	840
To Richard Allen, for keeping Margaret Childers,	200
To the Church Wardens, for keeping Ursley Green,	500
To Sarah Wotton,	300

To the Collector's Commissions,	2,246
To Ly in the hands of the Church Wardens,	1,989
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	37,444
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Cr.

By 1,702 Tiths, at 22 ³/₄ Pole. 37,444

Ordered that the Sheriff Collect twenty-two Pounds of Tob's Pole for the use of the Parrish.

Thomas Moseley religns his place in the Vestry, and Ryland Randolph is chosen in his room.

Ryland Randolph and Thos. Adams are chosen Church Wardens for the ensuing year.

THOS. ADAMS,
RY. RANDOLPH.

At A VESTRY, held at Richmond Town, October 3d,
1761:

Present,

The Rev'd Miles Selden, Richard Randolph, Bowler Cocke, William Lewis, John Ellis, Joseph Lewis, Samuel Duvall, Ryland Randolph and Thomas Adams, Gent.

<i>Henrico Parish,</i>	<i>Dr.</i>
To the Rev'd Miles Selden,	17,150
To John Bryan, cl'k,	1,789
To Mark Clark,	1,789
To William Street,	1,789
To Abraham Cowley,	500
To Agnes Homes, sexton,	536
To Elenor Williams,	536
To John Shoemaker,	344
To the Church Wardens,	500
To Benjamin Goode,	1,000
To Mary Allen, her son an idiot,	500
To William Ford,	500
To Lemmy Childers,	500

To John Liptrott,	1,000
To Richard Moon, for the care of John Lee,	500
To Sufannah Morton,	1,000
To Elizabeth Dolton, for the care of John Liggon's wife,	500
To Mary Walters,	500
To the Church Wardens, for Margaret Childers,	500
To Sarah Walton.	500
To the Church Wardens, for Mary Lefter,	536
To the Collector's Commiffions,	2,218
To Ly in the hands of the Church Wardens,	2,294
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	36,981
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Cr.

By 1,761 Tiths, at 21 $\frac{3}{4}$ Pole, 36,981

Ordered, That the Church Wardens pay Jaffe Burton seven pounds ten shillings and four pence, for Providing for John Aldy's orphans.

Ryland Randolph and Thomas Adams, Gent., are chosen Church Wardens for the ensuing year.

Ordered, That the present Church Wardens settle with Colo. Richard Randolph and Mr. Samuel Duvall, late Church Wardens, for year 1759 and 1760, and that they return an Acco't of the same to the next Vestry.

Richard Adams,²⁵ Gent., is chosen a Vestry man in the room of William Randolph, dec'd.

Ordered, That the Sherrieff collect of each Tith, twenty-one pounds of tob'o for the use of the Parriish.

THOS. ADAMS,
RY. RANDOLPH.

AT A VESTRY, held at Richmond Town, October 4th, 1762.

Present.

The Rev'd Miles Selden, Rich'd Randolph, Bowler Cocke, Jun'r, Wm. Lewis, John Ellis, Samuel Duval, Ryland Randolph and Richard Adams, Gent., Vestrymen.

*Henrico Parish,**Dr.*

To the Rev'd Miles Selden,	17,150
To John Bryan, clk.,	1,789
To Mark Clark, Junr.,	1,789
To William Street,	1,789
To Fortu. Sydnor, Clerk of Vestry,	500
To Agnes Homes, sexton,	536
To Elenor Williams,	536
To John Shoemaker,	536
To the Church Wardens,	344
To Benjamin Goode,	500
To Mary Allen, for her Son, an Ideot,	1,000
To William Ford,	500
To Lemmy Childers,	500
To John Liptrott,	500
To Richard Moore, for the care of John Lee,	1,000
To Sufanna Morton,	700
To Eliza. Dalton, for the care of Jno. Ligon's wife,	1,000
To Mary Walters,	1,000
To the Ch. W'dns, for Margaret Childers,	500
To do., for Mary Lefter,	500
To Philemon Childris,	500
To Eliza. Eales,	700
To a Serv't woman, named Catharine, belonging to Wm. Jones' estate,	500
To the Collector's Commissions,	2,638
To Thos. Rice,	500
To remain in Ch. W'dns hands,	5,468
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	43,975

Cr.,

By 1,759 Tithables at 25 lbs. $\frac{3}{4}$ Polls, 43,975

Ryland Randolph and Richard Adams, Gent., are chosen
Ch. W'dns for the County, for the ensuing year.

Ordered, That the Ch. W'dns pay Jesse Burton thirteen

pounds four shill's and three pence half penny for providing for orphans of John Alday, dec'd.

Ordered, That the Ch. W'dns pay Richard Adams his acco. ag't the Parishoners, of Five pounds thirteen shillings and three pence half penny.

Ordered, That the Ch. W'dns pay Sam'l Duval his acco. for providing for Joseph Sayer.

Ordered, That the Ch. W'dns pay Ryland Randolph his acco.

Ordered, That the Ch. W'dns pay Robert Elliott thirty shillings, for burying a man.

Ordered, That the Ch. W'dns purchase a Silver Cup and Salver of the size of that at Richmond Church, for the use of Deep Run Church.

Ordered, That the Ch. W'dns collect of every Tithable person in this County 25 lbs. Tob'o, for the use of the Parish, and in case of refusal or delay, that they make distrefs according to law.

Teste :

RICHARD ADAMS,
RY. RANDOLPH.

FORTU. SYDNOR,

Clk Vestry.

AT A VESTRY, held at Richmond Town, Henrico County, on Monday, 24th day of October, 1763.

Present.

The Rev'd Miles Selden, Richard Randolph, Bowler Cocke, Jun'r, William Lewis, John Ellifs, Samuel Duval, Ryland Randolph and Richard Adams, Gent., Vestrymen.

The Parish,

Dr.

To the rev'd Miles Selden,	17,150
To John Bryan, clk.,	1,789
To Mark Clark, clk.,	1,789
To William Street, clerk.	1,789
To Fortu. Sydnor, Clerk Vestry,	500
To Agnes Homes, Sexton,	536

To Elenor Williams, for cleaning church,	536
To Jno. Ellis, who is app'd sexton to deep Run Church,	536
To the Ch. W'ds,	344
To Ben. Goode,	500
To John Liptrot,	800
To Richard Moore, for Jno. Lee,	1,200
To Sufa. Morton,	800
To Eliza. Dalton, for ——— Ligon's wife,	1,000
To Mary Walters,	1,000
To Margaret Childers,	500
To the Ch. W'dns, for Mary Lefter,	500
To Thomas Conway and Wife,	1,000
To Philemon Childers,	500
To Catharine McBurnet,	500
To Thomas Rice,	500
To John Jones and Wife,	1,000
To Mary Franklin,	800
To Jane Porter,	300
To prudence Williamfon, for the support of her children,	1,000
To John West,	500
To John Clarkfon,	50
Aron Freeman, exempted from paying Parish Levy,	
Jno. Enroughty, for himself and fon,	1,000
To James Whitlow, for Wm. Reins,	800
To the Ch. W'dns, for John Conway,	300
To Alex'r Robinfon, for James Conway,	500
To Judith Blackbone,	500
To Miles Redford, 4 lbs. twice lifted,	84
To Martha Redford, for 2 do.,	42
To John Oakley, for One do.,	21
To Lewis Hancock, for 3 do.,	63
To William Morris, for 1 do.,	25
To Jno Ragland, ²⁶ for 1 do.,	25
To William Smith, for 1 do.,	25
To John John Shepherd, for 5 do.,	125
To Collector's Commissions,	2,977
To remain the Ch. W'dns Hands,	5,465
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	49,851

Cr.

By the Shff. for Tith's twice Lifted,	225
By 1,838 Tiths, at 27 lb $\frac{3}{4}$ Poll,	49,626
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	49,851

<i>Cash,</i>	<i>Dr.</i>			
		£.	s.	d.
To the Rev'd Miles Selden, his Acco.,		12	17	9
To Nich's Sherrer, his do.,			10	6
To Jeffee Burton, for Allday's orphans,		18	13	0
To Thomas Wilkinfon, for Conway,		3	0	0
To Ryland Randolph, as Ch. W'dn, as per acco.		34	1	8
To do., for small pox negro,		2	17	0
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Cr.

By Ball'nce, Ch. W'dns hands,	55	1	0
By Richard Randolph,	2	5	0
By Ch. W'dns, for fines,	3	10	0
By Ryland Randolph, for Sarah Doane, do.,	2	10	0
Balance due from Parish,	30	13	11
To do., for their cloths that was burnt,	22	0	0
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	93	19	11

Richard Randolph and Rich'd Adams are chosen Ch. W'dns for the ensuing year.

The Sheriff is appointed Collector of the levy.

Ordered, That he give Bond at next Court of that he collect of every Tithable person in the County 27 lbs. n't tob'o.

Signed,

RYLAND RANDOLPH,
RICHARD ADAMS.

Teste:

FORTU. SYDNOR,
C. V.

AT A VESTRY, held at Richmond Town, On Thursday,
the 10th October, 1764.

Present.

The Rev'd Miles Selden, Rich'd Randolph, Bowler Cocke,
William Lewis, John Ellis, Jo. Lewis, Samuel Duval, Ryland
Randolph and Richard Adams, Gent., Vest. Men.

To the Rev'd Mr. Selden,	17,150
To John Bryan,	1,789
To Mark Clark,	1,789
To Fortu. Sydnor,	500
To Wm. Street,	1,789
To Agnes Homes, Sexton,	536
To Elenor Williams, do.,	536
To Jos. Ellis, do.,	536
To Ch. W'dns,	344
To Ben. Goode,	500
To John Liptrott,	800
To Richard Moore, for Jno. Lee,	800
To Sufannah Morton,	800
To Eliza. Dalto, for Ligon's Wife,	1,000
To Mary Walter,	1,000
To Margaret Childers,	500
To Ch. Wardens, for Mary Lefter,	500
To Thomas Conaway and wife,	1,000
To Philemon Childers,	1,000
To Catherine McBurnet,	500
To Thomas Rice,	500
To Mary Frankling,	800
To Jane Porter,	800
To Prudence Williamson, for sup't of children,	1,000
To John West,	500
To John Enroughty, for son,	500
To Ch. Wardens, for Wm. Reins,	300
To John Conaway, for keeping Thomas Conaway,	100
To Judith Blackboard, for her two Bas. children,	500
To Winfrey Wright, Exempted from pay'g Parish levies for the futre,	
To Jno. Grimstead, for sup't of his wife,	500

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

125

To Elizabeth Lucas,	500
To Ann Spurlock,	500
To William Hogg,	500
To Thomas Williams, for removing Sarah and Thomas Roberts,	120
To David Atkins, for Sally Turner's bas. child,	500
Ty Eliza. Eales,	500
	<hr/> 40,689
To Sheriff, for 21 Insolvents,	533
To Joseph Parsons, for 16 Tyths, twice enlisted,	423
	<hr/> 46,032

By 1,918 Tiths, at 24 lbs. Tob'o, To Cr. $\frac{2}{3}$ Poll, 46,032

The Sherif appt. Col. of this levy, and to give bond.

Bowler Cocke and Samuel Duval, Gents., appointed Ch. W'dns.

Ordered, that the Ch. W'dns have proper feats where wanting at the Churches in this Parish.

Ballance in the hands of former Ch. Wardens, as $\frac{2}{3}$ Acc't to be paid the present Ch. Wardens, £12, 6, 11.

Test :

B. COCKE, Junr.,
SAML. DU VAL.*The Parish,**Dr.*

	lbs. Tob'o.
To the Rev'd Mr. Selden, his Annual Sallary,	17,157
To Jno. Bryan, Clk, Richmond Church, his do..	1,789
To William Street, Clk, Deep Run Church, his do.,	1,789
To James Sharp, reader at Curl's Church, his do.,	1,789
To Agnes Hoomes, Sexton,	536
To Joseph Ellis, Sexton,	536
To Fortu. Sydnor, Clk Vestry,	536
To the Ch. W'dns,	500
To do., for Mary Lester,	344
To Benja. Goode,	500

To Sufa. Morton,	500
To Eliza. Dalton,	800
To Mary Walters,	1,000
To Margaret Childers,	1,000
To Mary Conway,	500
To Philemon Childers,	700
To Catherine McBurnet,	1,000
To Thomas Rice,	500
To Mary Franklin,	500
To Jane Porter,	800
To prudence Williamson,	800
To John West,	1,000
To Jno. Enroughty, for son,	1,000
To Ch. W'dns, for Wm. Rives,	500
To Judith Blackbond, for her and baf'd children,	300
To John Grimstead, for his Wife,	500
To Eliza. Lucas,	500
To Ann Spurlock,	500
To Wm. Hogg,	500
To Daniel Atkins, for Sally Turner's B. child,	500
To Mary Bridgman, widow, for her children	500
To the Ch. W'dns, for Margaret Brown,	600
To the Ch. W'dns, for Jno. Jones,	750
To Eleanor Williams,	500
To Samuel Thompson, payable to Ch. W'dns,	500
To Hayes Whitlow, for William Clark,	500
To the Rev'd Mr. Selden, for 2 tiths twice lifted,	300
To Eliza McCallum, for Ann O'Brien, 8 months,	48
To John Branfford, for do., last year,	300
To Sher's Com's, for Collecting,	2,824
To remain Sheriff's hands.	1,164
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	47,075

Cr.

By 1,887 Tiths, at 25 lbs. p Poll, 47,075

By Ball., in the Hands of former Ch. W'dns, £15, 20.

Ord'd, That Ch. W'dns pay Jno. Price his acc't, £2, 18, 4.

Ord'd, That the Ch. W'dns, pay Jno. Barnes his acco., £3, 7, 6.

Philip Watton, Daniel Price and Nathaniel Wilkinfon, are chosen Vestryman; Phil. Watfon, in the room of Thos. Adams, who is removed out of the Parish; Dan'l Price, in the room of John Povall, dec'd; and Nathaniel Wilkinfon in the room of Robt. Mosby, who has resigned.

Richard Randolph and Joseph Lewis, Gent., are appointed Ch. W'dns for the ensuing year.

Joseph Lewis is appointed Collector of this levy, to give bond to Ch. W'dns.

RICHARD RANDOLPH,
JOSEPH LEWIS.

AT A VESTRY, held at the Court House of Henrico County, on Wednesday, the 22d day of Oct'br, 1766, for laying the Parish levy, present—the Rev'd Miles Selden, Richard Randolph, Joseph Lewis, Rich'd Adams, Bowler Cocke, Ryland Randolph, Daniel Price and Samuel Duval, Vestrymen.

<i>The Parish,</i>	<i>Dr.</i>
To the Rev'd Mr. Selden, on his Annual Sallary,	17,150
To John Bryan, clk Rich'd Church,	1,789
To William Street, clk Deep run,	1,789
To Joseph Sharp, Clerk Curl's,	1,789
To Agnes Homes, Sexton,	536
To Eleanor Williams, Sexton,	536
To Joseph Ellis, Sexton,	536
To Fortu. Sydnor, clk Vestry,	500
To the Ch. W'dns,	344
To do., for Mary Lefter,	500
To do., for Margaret Brown,	750
To do., John Jones,	500
To Benj. Goode,	500
To Susa. Morton,	800
To Eliza. Dalton, for Ligon's Wife,	1,000
To Mary Walker,	1,000
To Margaret Childers,	500
To Mary Conway,	1,000

To Mary Bridgman,	600
To Catharine McBurnett,	500
To Thomas Rice,	500
To Mary Frankling,	800
To Jane Porter,	800
To prudence Williamfon,	1,000
To Jno. West,	800
To John Enroughty, for his son and self,	1,000
To Jno. Grimstead, for his Wife,	500
To Eliza Lucas,	500
To Ann Surlock,	500
To Wm. Hogg,	1,000
To David Atkins, for Sally Turner's Bastard,	500
To Eleanor Williams,	500
To the Ch. W'dns, for Sam'l Thomson,	500
To the Ch. W'dns, for Wm. Reins,	300
To Judith Blackbond, (pay'ble Ch. W'dns,) for her children,	500
To Elza McCallum, for Ann Obrien,	300
To Margery Barnes,	500
To Amos Liptrot,	500
To Jno. Clark, for Burying Phil's children,	150
To Roger Cocke Bailey, for Jemima Scott,	150
To Collectors Com's, at 6 p &c.,	2,856
To a Deposit in Ch. W'dns hands,	825

47,600

By 1,904 Tith's, @ 25 lbs. p Poll, 47,600

John Randolph,²⁷ is chosen a Vestryman in the room of Philip Watfon, dec'd.

Thos. Robinfon and Benja. Clark, are exempted from paying Parish Levys.

By Ballance in the Hands of present Ch. W'dns, £2, 2, 42.
Richard Randolph and Jos. Lewis, Gent., Chose Ch. W'dns for the Ensuing year.

Jos. Lewis, Sher., Appointed Collector of this Levy.

RICHARD RANDOLPH,
JOSEPH LEWIS.

AT A VESTRY, held at the Court House, on Wednesday, the 14 Day of October, 1767, for Laying the Parish Levy, Present—The Rev'd Mr. Selden, Wm. Lewis, Bowler Cocke, Jos. Lewis, Richard Adams, Ryland Randolph, Dan'l Price and Nath'l Wilkinfon.

<i>The Parish,</i>	<i>Dr.</i>
To the Rev'd Mr. Selden, his Sallary,	17,150
To Jno. Bryan,	1,789
To Wm. Street,	1,786
To James Sharp,	1,789
To Agnes Homes, as Sexton,	536
To Eleanor Williams, Sexton,	536
To Fortu. Sydnor, Clk proc'g year,	536
To the Ch. W'dns for Church Ex's,	1,000
To Mary Lefter,	344
To Wm. Reins,	400
To Margaret Brown,	300
To John Jones,	500
To Sam'l Thompson,	500
To Benja. Goode,	500
To Eliza. Dalton, for Liggon's Wife,	400
To Margaret Childers,	800
To Catha. McBurnet,	400
Thos. Rice,	250
To Mary Franklin,	400
To Jane Porter,	650
To prudence Williamfon, for her children,	800
To Jno. West,	600
To John Enroughty, for himself and Son,	600
To Judith Blackbond,	800
To John Grimstead, for his Wife,	500
To Eliza Lucas,	500
To Ann Spurlock,	400
To Wm. Hogg,	400
To David Atkins, for Sally Turner's Child,	750
To Mary Bridgwater,	400
To Eleanor Williams,	500
To Margery Barnes,	400

To Amos Liptrot,	400
To Rich'd Moore,	400
To Eliza. Eales, R. Cottrell, last year,	400
To Eliza. Eales,	700
To Nath'l Bridgwater, for his Wife,	800
To John Price, Eliza. Porter's Bastard Children,	300
To the Ch. W'dns, for the Thos. Jeff's Wife and Children,	400
To Collectors Commissions, @ 6 p. ct.	2,491
To Catharine Freeman,	600

44,010

Cr.

By 1,903 Ths., @ 23 lbs. $\frac{3}{4}$ poll,	43,769
Ball. due the Collect.,	241

44,010

By Ball. in Hands of Jos. Lewis, Ch. W'ds, 2, 17, 102.

On pet. Thos, Alley, he is Set Parish Levy free.

George Cox, App'd a Vestryman, in the Room of Peter Randolph, Esq'r, dec'd.

Richard Adams and Ryland Randolph, Gent., Chosen Ch. W'dns the ensuing year.

The Ch. W'dns are App'd Collectors of the Levy.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly and in Obedience to an Order of Henrico Court, the Vestry do divide the parish into precincts, and Appoint persons to procession every persons land, as follows:

Richard Cottrell, Jos. Brown, Thos. Ellis and Wm. Ellis, to procession from the mouth of Great Westham to William Gordon's, thence up Between Gordon's Road and Jas. River, to the Head of the Parish.

2.

William Winston, Thos. Owen, Thos. Wilkinfon and William Bacon, from Gordon's road to the Head of the Parish, thence to Chickahominy Swamp, and down that to the Head of Upland Brook and thence to Gordon's afore'd.

3.

Wm. Jones, Jno. Mosby, Fras. Cornet and Jos. Britton, from Chickahominy Swamp and Upland Brook to the Head of F'd Brook.

4.

John Pleafants, Sam'l Williamfon, Martin Burton, and Drewry Wood, Between Chickahominy Swamp and the Brook road, as Low as Cannon's and Smith's Mill.

Jacob Smith, Drury Brazeal, Wm. New and John Wood, between the Mouth of Gilley's Creek and Great Westham, and from Cannon and Gordon's to the River.

6.

Edward Curd, Jno. Harwood, Jas. Cocke and Jacob Pleafants, from the mouth of Gilley's Creek to Jos. Lewif's, on Chickahominy Swamp, and up as far as Cannon and Smith's Mill.

7.

Nich's Giles, Matthew Herbert, John Whitlow and Jos. Whitlock, jr., Between Gilley's and Cornelius Creek from the River to the Seven Pines road, and as Low as the Southern Branch Bridge.

8.

Josiah Bullington, Jno. Burton, Thomas Jordan, Jr., and Robt. Atkins, between Corneliuf's and four Mile Creek, the Main County road and the River.

9

Milner Redford, Jno. Redford, William Parker and Richard Sharpe, between Two mile Creek, four Mile Creek, the Main Road and the River.

10.

William Frayfer, William Whitlow, William Bullington and Richard Whitlow, between Corneliuf's and four Mile Creek, from the Main road to the Seven Pines road.

11.

Julius Allen, Anthony Matthews, Robert Spiers and Jacob

Faris, between Jos. Lewif's and Boar Swamp, on Chickahominy, to the Head of Boar Swamp.

12.

Jno. Carter, Jno. Hales, Benja. Jordan and William Faris, from the mouth of Boar Swamp to the County Line, on Chickahominy, and back to the Long Bridge road.

13.

Sam'l Gathright, William Hobson, Thos. Childrey and John Gathright, between Four mile Creek, Bailey's Run and White Oak Swamp.

14.

Chas. Woodfon, Robert Pleasants, Robert Pleasants, Jr., Thos. Pleasants and Jno. Martin, Between Bailey's Run, the County Line and the Western Branch.

15.

Humphrey Smith, John Royfter, Thos. Rogers and Thos. Jolley, Between the Head of Bailey's Run, the Western Runn, and the County Line, as far North as the Fork of the Long Bridge road; and, it is Ordered, That the s'd proceffioners Return an Account of their proceedings According to law.

RICH'D ADAMS,
RY. RANDOLPH.

AT A VESTRY, held in the Court House of Henrico County, on Wednesday, the 9th day of November, 1768, for laying the Parish Levy.

Present.

The Rev'd Miles Selden, Rich'd Randolph, Jno. Ellis, Sam'l Duval, Bowler Cocke, Ryland Randolph, Jos. Lewis, Dan'l Price, Nathaniel Wilkinson.²⁸ Geo. Cox Took the Oath required by Law. Pref't, G. Cox.

The Parish of Henrico,

Dr.

To the Rev'd Miles Selden, his Annual Sallary,	17,150
To John Bryan, clerk,	1,789
To William Street, do.,	1,789

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

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To Jas. Sharp, do.,	1,789
To Agnes Homes, Sexton Curl's Church,	536
To Rich'd Williams, who is app'd do., R. Church,	536
To Jos. Ellis, do., Deep Run do.,	536
To Fortun. Sydnor, Clk Vestry,	500
To the C. W'dns, for Elem'ts,	300
To do., for Mary Lefter,	
To do., for Margaret Brown,	
To do., for Samnel Thompson,	
To Benja. Goode,	
To Eliza. Dalton, for Liggon's Wife,	
To Magaret Childers,	
To Catharine Burnet,	
To Thomas Rice,	
To Jno. West,	
To Jno. Enroughty and his son,	
To Jno. Grimstead, for his wife,	
To Eliza. Lucas,	
To Ann Spurlock,	
To Wm. Hogg,	
To Mary Bridgman,	
To Eleanor Williams	
To Margery Barnes,	
To Amos Liptrot,	
To Richard Moore,	
To Nath'l Bridgwater, for his wife,	
To the Ch. W'dns, for the poor of the Parish,	25,000
To Solo. Fuffel, for taking care of Eliza. Carter and her two children, Eight weeks,	300
To Nich's Conway, for a Tith 2d listed,	23
To Abra. Bailey, for Maint'g Jemima Scott 2 years,	500
To Wm. Smith, for do., Jno Burnet 13 days,	150
To Wm. Robinson, Consta., for Conv'g 7 do., to Ches- terfield,	48
To do., for a Woman, Margaret Mackmaham, (bel'g to to K. Queen,) and four children to Hanover,	160
To do., for 2 levies in 1767 and 1766,	48
To James Lindsey, Consta., for do.,	48

To James Allen, for 14 Insov'ts, for 1767 @ 23 lbs.	
Tob'o,	322
To Abra. Baley, for David Johnston,	300
To Geo. Scherrer, for Burying a Poor Woman,	100
To Geo. Donald, for Burying a Poor Woman,	100
To Sam'l Shepherd, for Catharine Freeman,	40
To Mark Woodcock, for 7 Tiths 2ce lifted,	161
To Jos. Whitlock, for 1 do.,	23
To Rich'd Williams, for mending Surplis,	30
To Jno. Barnes, for Margery Barnes,	200
To Wm. Morris, for Burying Eliza Lucas,	100

52,578

To Collectors Com's, @ 6 p &.,

3,154

55,732

By 2,012 Tiths, @ 28 lbs. p Poll, 56,336
 By a Deposition in Collectors Hands, 604

It is the Opinion of the Vestry, that Curl's Church be removed, and that Richard and George Cox, Samuel Duval, Jos. Lewis, Nath'l Wilkinfon and Thos. Watkins, Gent., or any five of them, view the most convenient place to Build one on, and that they make Report to the next Vestry, to be held for laying the Parish Levy.

Ord'd, Richard Randolph send for silver salver and 1, and 1 pint 2D Silver Cup, for the use of D. Runn Church.

By Ball'ce in the Hands of Richard Adams, p. 17, 12.

Ord., Ch. W'dns pay Jno. Clarkfon 3 7-12 for prov'g for Thos Rice 3 months.

Richard Randolph and Samuel Duval, Gent., are Chosen Ch. W'dns for Ensuing year.

Jas. Allen and Jno. Royfter are app'd Collectors of this levy, to give Bonds to the C'lk Vestry.

RICHARD RANDOLPH,
 SAM. DU VAL.

In Obedience to an Order of Vestry, we have Processioned

all the Lines and Bounds of the Lands as we were directed, which were as follows :

The Lines between fore mile Creek, two mile Creek, Mane road and river.

The Lines between John Pleasants and Francis Epes agreed.

The Lines between John Pleasants and John Sharpe agreed.

The Lines between John Pleasants and Milner Redford agreed.

The Lines between Robt. Pleasants and Joseph Woodson agreed.

The Lines between John and Milner Redford agreed.

The Lines between William C. Redford and Arche filbard agreed.

The Lines between John and William Frayser agreed.

The Lines between William Frayser and Hays Whitlo agreed.

The Lines between John Pleasants and Francis Pearce Just Agreed.

Proceffioned by

JOHN REDFORD,
MILNER REDFORD,
WM. PARKER,
RICH'D SHARPE.

FEBRUARY 29th, 1768.

In Obedience to an Order of the Henrico Vestry, we have proceffioned the Lands in our Precinct, from Gilley's Creek to the Westham—only the lands of William Wills, the Parties not appearing to shew the lines between.

Given under hands.

JACOB SMITH,
DRURY BRAZEAL,
WM. NEW,
JOHN WOOD.

In Obedience to the within Order, we have proceffioned all the Lands within our Precincts, all the Parties agreed.

RICHARD COTTRELL,
THOMAS ELLIS,
WILLIAM ELLIS,
JOSEPH BROWN.

Pursuant to an Order of Vestry, to us directed, We, the subscribers, have gone in procession and renewed the Bounds of the several Tracts of Land within the Limmits to us Proscribed, Being in presence and with the consent of the proprietors of said land.

Witness our hands this 13th day of February, 1768.

JOHN PLEASANTS,
DRURY WOOD,
MARTIN BURTON,
SAM'L WILLIAMSON.

Pursuant to an Order of Vestry, to us directed, We, the subscribers, have gone in procession, in Presence and with consent of the Parties, have renewed the Several Lines within the Bounds prescribed in said Order. Given under our hands this Twenty-first day of March, one thousand seven hundred and sixty-eight.

EDWARD CURD, Sen'r,
JOHN HARWOOD, Sen'r,
JAMES COCKE, Jun'r,
JACOB PLEASANTS.

In Obedience to an Order of Vestry, hereto annexed, we have peaceably processioned all Lines in our Precinct, the Parties being present.

SAMUEL GATHRIGHT,
WM. HOPSON,
THOS. CHILDREY,
JNO. GATHRIGHT.

In Compliance with the Orders of Henrico County Court, For Processioning the Lands between Cornelius Creek and two mile Creek, the main County road and river, We processioned the Lines between Lizby Turpin and Joseph Bailey, and between Lizby Turpin and Richard Reynards, and between Richard Reynard, and Joseph Bailey—Richard Reynard and Jos. Bailey, present; also the Lines between Abraham Bailey and Joseph Bailey—both parties Present; and between Hays Whitlow and Jonathan Williams—both parties present; Between Josiah Bullington and John Burton—both parties present; and be-

tween Josiah Bullington and William Burton—both parties present ; and Between Jeffee Burton and John Burton—both parties present ; and Between George Cox and William Burton—both Parties present ; and between George Cox and Epps—both parties present ; and between Mary Stewart and Randolph Leonard—Ward and Nicholas Giles present ; and between George Cox and William Perkins—both Parties Present ; between George Cox and Thomas Jordone, Jun'r—both Parties present ; between Wm. Perkins and Josias Bullington—both parties Present ; between Wm. Barker and Randolph—both parties Present ; Between Stewart's and Epps—Both present.

JOHN BURTON,
JOSIAH BULLINGTON,
THOS. JORDON, Jun'r,
ROBT. ADKINS.

AT A VESTRY, held at the Court House, on Monday, the 16th Day of April, 1770, for Laying the Parish Levy.

Present.

Richard Randolph. Bowler Cocke, Ryland Randolph, Sam'l Duval, Jos. Lewis, Rich'd Adams and George Cox, Gent., Vestrymen.

<i>The Parish,</i>	<i>Dr.</i>
To the Rev'd Mr. Selden, his Annual Sall'y,	17,150
To John Bryan, clk Richmond Church,	1,789
To Wm. Street, clk Deep Run do.,	1,789
To Jas. Sharp, do. Curl's,	1,789
To Agnes Homes, Sexton Curl's,	536
To Rich'd Williams, do. Richmond Church,	536
To Jos. Ellis, do. of Deep Run Church,	536
To Fortu. Sydnor, Clk Vestry,	536
To the Ch. W'dns, for Church Elem'ts,	300
To Jas. Royal, for keep'g J. Black bas. child,	500
Prest. Jno. Randolph,	
To Thos. Alley and Wife,	400
To Sam'l Thompson,	300

To Hannah Clark,	300
To the Ch. W'dns, for Matt. Bridgman,	300
To the do., for Margaret Childers,	300
To do., Margaret Brown,	300
To do., Eliza. Dalton, for Liggon's Wife,	600
To do., Thos. Rice,	400
To do., for Jno. West and his daughter Molly,	600
To Jno. Grimstead, for his wife,	300
To Ch. W'dns, for Ann Spurlock,	500
To Ch. W'dns, for Wm. Hogg,	500
To Mary Bridgman, for herself and child,	500
To Nath'l Bridgwater and wife,	600
To Anto. Matthews, for Eliza Childers,	300
To the Ch. W'dns, for Robt. Scott,	300
To do., for Aaron Freeman and wife,	300
To Henry Brittain,	300
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	32,561
To Com's, for collecting,	2,274
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	34,835
To a Deposition in Ch. W'dns hands,	3,073
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	37,908
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By 2,106 Tiths, (a) 18 pr. Poll, 37,908

Ord'd, Ch. W'dns pay Jas. Vaughn four pounds, for providing for Margaret Brown 8 months.

Ord'd, Ch. W'dns pay Thos. Watkins £3, 3, 0, for David Johnson.

The Order of last Vestry, for the removal of Curl's Church cont'd, and Wm Lewis and Rich'd Adams, Gent., are added to f'd order.

Richard Adams and Geo. Cox. Gent., are chosen Ch. W'dns for the ensuing year.

Ord'd, Ch. W'dns Lett to lowest bidder the inclosing of the

land belonging the Church at Richmond, with Saw'd Posts and rails in the Best workmanlike manner.

Ord'd, That Richard Randolph and Sam'l Duval, Gent., former Ch. W'dns, pay the Ballance of Ninty-four pounds Nineteen Shillings and $\frac{1}{2}$ to Ballance of due from them (to the Parish) to Rich'd Adams and Geo. Cox, Gent., the pref'g Ch. W'dns.

Geo. Cox, Gent., is app'd Coll'r of this Levy.

RICH'D ADAMS,
GEORGE COX.

AT A VESTRY, held at Richmond, on Thursday, the 25th Day of November, 1770, for Laying the Parish Levy.

Prejent.

The Rev. Miles Selden,	Wm. Lewis,	Jos. Lewis,
John Ellis,	Ryland Randolph,	Geo. Cox,
Sam'l Duval,	Rich'd Adams,	
Richard Randolph,		Gent., Vestrymen.

The Parish,

Dr.

To the Rev'd Miles Selden, his Annual Sallery,	17,150
To Wm. Street, Clk of deep run,	1,789
To Jos. Sharp, do., Curl's,	1,789
To John Bryan, do. Richmond,	536
To Agnes Homes, sexton at Curl's Church,	536
To Rich'd Wm'fon, do. to Richmond Church,	536
To Jos. Ellis, do. Deep Run,	500
To Fortu. Sydnor, Clk Veftry,	300
To Church Wardens, for Church elements,	500
To Thos. Alley and Wife,	500
To Hannah Clark,	500
To Ch. W'dns, for Matt. Bridgman,	500
To do., for Marg't Childers,	700
To do., for Mary Brown,	50
To do., for Eliza. Dalton, for Liggon's Wife,	1,000
To do., for Thos. Rice,	600
To do., for Jno. West and his daughter Molly,	600

To John Grimstead, for his wife,	500
To Ch. W'ds, for Ann Spurlock,	800
To do., for Wm. Hogg,	800
To do., for Nath'l Bridgwater, for his wife,	600
To do., for Eliza. Childers,	600
To Ch. W'dns, for Aaron Freeman's Wife,	600
To do., for Henry Brittain's Wife,	600
To do., for Catharine McBurnet,	500
To do., for Benja. Goode,	600
To do., for John Jones,	600
To do., for Mary Franklin,	600
To do., for Mary Swinton,	600
To do., for Richard Moore,	500
To John Enroughty, for self and son,	1,000
To Sheriff's Com'ns for Collecting.	2,389

42,214

To the Depositam,

146

42,360

Cr.

By 2,118 Tiths, @ 20 ³/₄ Poll, 42,360

It is agreed that the Ch. W'dns pay unto Mary Thomfon one pound seven shillings, for Burying her husband.

Richard Adams and George Cox, Gent., are Chosen Church wardens for the Ensuing year.

Ordd'd, That the present Church W'ds do settle with R'd Randolph and Sam'l Duval, Gent., former Church wardens, for the money that is due in their hands, and in case refusal or delay of payment, that they commence suit against them for the Ball'ce in their hands.

Ord'd, That the Ch. W'ds do let to the Lowest bidder the Walling of the Richmond Church Yard w'th Bricks, 4 foot and $\frac{1}{2}$ high above ground, to the Lowest bidder, includ'g the Land bel'g to the Church.

Ord'd, That the Ch. W'ds agree with any person for the Cure of Pridgeon Waddle's Nose—not exceed'g ten pounds.

Turner Southall, Gent., is chosen Vestryman in the room of John Randolph, Gent.

RICHARD ADAMS,
GEORGE COX.

AT A VESTRY, held at the Court House, on Monday, the 8th day of July, 1771, for Appointing Processioners of the Bounds of every Persons land in the Parish and County of Henrico.

Present.

Richard Randolph, Wm. Lewis, Sam'l Duval, Richard Adams, Dan'l Price, Nath'l Wilkinfon, George Cox, Vestrymen.

Pursuant to an Act of Assembly, and in Obedience to an order of Henrico Court, this Vestry do now divide the parish into precincts, and appoint persons to procession every persons Land in s'd Parish.

No. 1.

Richard Cottrell, Jos. Brown, Jesse Ellis, William Ellis, Sam'l Shepherd, Jos. Ellis—from the mouth of Great West Ham to William Gordon's, thence up between Gordon's road and James river, to the head of the Parish.

No. 2.

Thos. Owin, Dabney Pettus, Sam'l Williamson and Wm. Miller—from the fork of the Brook and Swamp, thence up the Brook to Gordon's Road, thence to the Head of Hungary Branch, thence to Turner's Runn, thence down the Run to Chick'y Swamp, and down the Swamp to the Beginning.

3.

Wm. Jones, John Mosby, Fran's Cornet, Jos. Brittain—from Chickahominy Swamp and Upland Brook to the head of the said Brook.

4.

Jno. Pleasants, Carp'r, Sam'l Williamson, Martin Burton and Drury Wood—Between Chickahominy Swamp and the Brook Road, as low as Kennon's & Smith's Mill.

5.

Edward Curd, John Harwood, Jas. Cocke and Jacob Pleafants—from the Mouth of Gilley's Creek to Jos. Lewis's, on Chickahominy Swamp, and up as far as Kennon & Smith's Mill.

6.

Nich's Giles, Matthew Herbett, Jno. Whitlow, Jas. Whitlow—Between Gilley's Creek and Corneliuf's, from the River to the Seven Pines Road, and as low down as the Southern Branch Bridge.

7.

Josiah Bullington, Jno. Burton, Thos. Jordan, Jr., and Rob't Adkins—between Corneliuf's and two Mile Creek, the Main Country Road and River.

8.

James Hallock, Richard Throgmorton, Wm. Parker, Rich'd Sharp—between two Mile Creek, from four Mile Creek, the Main road and river.

9.

Benja. Johnson, David Bowles, Michael Johnson, Nath'l Holman, Wm. Shepherd and Benja. Shepherd—from the head of Turner's Runn to Hungry Branch, thence to Gordon's Road, to the County Line, thence along that Line to Chickahominy Swamp, thence down the Swamp to Turner's Runn.

10.

Jacob Smith, Wm. New and Sam'l Price, Lewis Ball, Leonard Henley, and Jno. Hodge and John Wood—between the Mouth of Gilley's Creek and Great Westham, and from Kennon's and Gordon's to the River.

11.

Thos. Goode, William Whitlow, Jos. Goode, Jno. Lindsay, and Edw'd Wade and Geo. Robertson—between Corneliuf's and four Mile Creek, from the Main Road to the 7 Pines Road.

12.

Charles Allen, Anthony Matthews, Robert Spears, Jacob Faris, Isham Allen and James Valentine—between Jos. Lewis' and Boar Swamp, on Chickahominy to the head of Boar Swamp.

13.

Jno. Carter, Wm. Faris, Wm. Gathright, (son of Eph^a), Thos. Watkins, Jr., Robt. Jordon and Geo. Baker—from the Mouth of Boar Swamp to the County Line on Chickahominy, and back to the Long Bridge Road.

14.

Sam'l Gathright, William Hopson, Thos. Childrey and John Gathright—between Four Mile Creek, Bailey's Run and White Oak Swamp.

15.

Robert Pleasants, Robert Pleasants, Jr., Thos. Pleasants, Thos. Eldridge and Rob't Poval—Between Bailey's Runn, the County Line and the Western Branch.

16.

Thos. Rogers, Thos. Jolley and William Binford—between the head of Bailey's Run, the Western Runn and the County Line, as far North as the fork of the Long Bridge Road.

Ordered, that the said Processioners make their processions and Return an Account of their Proceedings, according to Law.

RICHARD ADAMS,
GEORGE COX.

AT A VESTRY held at Richmond Town, Henrico County, Monday, the 9th of day December, 1771, for Laying the Parish Levy.

Present.

The Rev'd Miles Selden, Richard Randolph, Sam'l Duval, Richard Adams, Joseph Lewis, Turner Southall, George Cox, Daniel Price, Gentlemen, Vestrymen.

*The Parish Henrico,**Dr.*

To the Rev'd Miles Selden, his Annual Salary,	17,150
To Wm. Street, Clerk Deep Run Church,	1,789
To Jos. Sharp, do. Curl's Church,	1,789
To John Bryan, do. Richmond,	1,789
To Agnes Holmes, Sexton at Curl's Church,	536
To Richard Wm'son, do. at Richmond,	536
To Jos. Ellis, do. at Deep Run,	536
To Fortu. Sydnor, C'lk. Vestry Proceff'g Year,	500
To the Church Wardens, for Church Elements,	300
To Thomas Alley,	250
To Hannah Clarke,	500
To the Church wardens, for Matthew Bridgman,	500
To do. for Margaret Childers,	700
To John Grinstead, for his wife,	500
To Jno. West and his daughter Molly,	700
To the Church Wardens, for Ann Spurlock.	1,000
To do., for William Hogg,	1,000
To do., for Nath'l Bridgwater, for Wife,	700
To do., for Eliza. Childers,	1,000
To do., for Aarons Freeman's Wife,	1,000
To do., for Henry Britain's Wife,	800
To do., for Catherine McBurnett,	500
To do., for Benja. Goode,	600
To do., for Mary Frankling,	700
To do., for Mary Swinton,	600
To do., for Richard Moore,	500
To do., for Jno. Enroughty, for self and son,	1,000
To Jno. Orange,	300
To James Bowyer, for keeping Cathiston,	750
To Thomas Frankling, for keeping Mary Brown,	300
To Mrs. Abigail Richardson, for Mary and Sufanna Jeffs, children of Sarah Jeffs, in full for the Time she hath kept them, and to indemnify the Parish from all charges for keep'g and Bringing up the said children for the time to come, they being now bound Appren- tices to her,	1,500

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

145

To Abra. Baily, Conft. his Acc't allowed for removing five perfons out of this Parifh,	237
To allowed David Bowles a Levy Remitted him,	20
To Thomas Chaddock, for Burying Martha Hutton,	200
To the Church Wardens, for William Going, for taking Shadrach Vaughan, Orphan, as apprentice, and indem- nifying them from any farther Charge in Bringing up the s'd child,	250
To Collector's Commiffions,	3,493
To Depositam in hands Church Wardens,	13,400
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	58,225

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By 2,329 Tithables, at 25 lb. $\frac{7}{8}$ Poll, 58,225

The Sheriff of the County is appointed Collector, and to
give Bond in the Office.

Dr. to Balance Due the Church Wardens in Cash,
£22, 17, 5.

RICHARD ADAMS,
GEORGE COX.

A Return of Jno. Pleasants, Carp'r, Drury Wood, Sam'l
Williamfon and Martin Burton, who were, by Order of Vestry
held the 8th day of July, 1771, Appointed to Proceffion the
Bounds of every perfons Land between Chickahominy Swamp
and the Brook Road, as low as Kennon's & Smith's Mill.

Purfuant to an Order of the Vestry, to us directed, we, the
fubfcribers, have gone in proceffion and renewed the Bounds of
the Several Tracts of Lands within the Limits prefcribed by
the faid order, according to Law.

JOHN PLEASANTS, Carpt.,
DRURY WOOD,
SAM'L WILLIAMSON,
MARTIN BURTON.

Teft,

FORTU. SYDNOR,

C. Vestry.

In Obedience to an Order of Vestry, we have processioned all the Bounds of Lands within the Bounds therein, most of the Bounds, parties being present, and by Consent of those Absent, who were convenient, all quietly done by us.

BEN. JOHNSON,
DAVID BOWLES,
MICHAEL JOHNSON,
WILLIAM SHEPHERD,
BENJAMIN SHEPHERD.

March 25th, 1772.

In Obedience to an Order of Vestry, we the subscribers, have processioned the Land within the within mentioned precinct, all parties Agreed. given under our hands, this 27th day of March, 1772.

JACOB SMITH,
LEWIS BALL,
LEONARD HENLEY,
JOHN WOOD.

In Obedience to an Order Vestry, appointing us, the subscribers, to procession the Lines from Westham to Tuckahoe Creek, we have processioned the same, all parties agreed. given under our hand this 6th day of April, 1772.

JOSEPH ELLIS,
SAMUEL SHEPHERD,
JOSEPH BROWN,
RICH'D COTTRELL.

AT A VESTRY, held at Richmond Town, on Tuesday, the 8th day of December, 1772, for laying the Parish Levy.

Present.

The Rev'd Miles Selden, Rich'd Randolph, Samuel Duval, Jos. Lewis, Rich'd Adams, Daniel Price, George Cox and Turner Southall, Vestrymen.

The Parish,

Dr.

lbs. Tob'o.

To the Rev'd Mr. Selden, his Annual Sall'y,
To Wm. Street, Clk D. Run Church,

17,150
1,789

To Jas. Sharp, do. Curl's,	1,789
To John Bryan, do Richmond,	1,789
To Jos. Ellis, do. Deep Run,	536
To Fortu. Sydnor, Clk Vestry,	536
To Ch. W'dns, for Church Elements,	536
To Thomas Alley,	500
To Ch. W'dns, for Matt. Bridgman,	300
To do., for Margaret Childers,	250
To do., John West,	500
To do., for John Grimstead for Wife,	700
To do., for Molly Hogg and children,	700
To do., for Nath'l Bridgwater,	500
To do., for Aaron Freeman's Wife,	1,000
To do., Henry Britain,	500
To do., for Capt. for Capt. McBurnet,	1,000
To do., for Benja. Goode,	1,000
To Mary Franklin,	500
To Mary Swinton,	600
To Richard Moore,	1,000
To John Enroughty, for self and fon,	600
To John Orrange,	600
To John Childers and wife,	1,000
To Matthew Jordan,	300
To Jane Morris,	1,000
To Esther Stedman,	300
To John Ragland, for Rachel Burton, orphan of Benjamin Burton,	300 500
To Richard Cottrell, for Pridgeon Waddell, as per Acco. £17, 4, 8½,	500
To Sufa. Parsons, for Henry Britains and Pridgeon Waddells, as per Acco.,	£7, 4, 6,
To Geo. Scherrer, for Burying a man that was drown'd, per Acco.,	£1, 5, 0,
John Gordon, Exempted paying Levy,	
To Doct. P. Strachan, per Acco.,	£6, 2, 3,
To John Myers, per Acco.,	£3, 0, 0,
To Mary Thomfon,	500
To Ch. W'ds, for Shad. Vaughan, Alt. Simpson, a bastard child of A. West,	300

To Jas. Sharp, D. Sheriff, for Infolv'ts, p Acco.,	300
To William Burton, do., for do.,	150
To Com's, for collecting,	3,329
To Depositam, in Collectors Hands,	12,796
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	55,660
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By 2,420 Tiths, @ 23 lb. p Poll, 55,660

Ord'd, Ch. W'dns bring Suit Ag't Mr. Sam'l Duval on his Agreem't for Building on the Lands belonging to Richmond Church, he having failed to do the same accd'g to f'd Agreem't.

It is the Opinion of the Vestry that an addition of Forty feet in Length and the same Width as the prest. Church at Richmond, be built to it, at the North side, with Gallery on both sides, and one end with proper windows above and below; and Ordered that the Ch. W'dns Lett to the Lowest Bidder the said addition.

Mr. Thos. Watkins²⁹ and Mr. William Randolph³⁰ are chosen Vestrymen in the room of Wm. Lewis and Bowler Cocke, dec'd.

Daniel Price and Turner Southall are appointed Ch. W'dns for the ensuing year.

Nath'l Wilkinfon, Sheriff, is appointed Collector of this levy, and that he give Bond to the 'Ch. Wd'ns for Collecting of same.

TURNER SOUTHALL,
DANIEL PRICE.

AT A VESTRY, held at Richmond, on Fryday, the 17th Day of December, 1773, for laying the Parish Levy.

Present.

The Rev'd Mr. Selden, Sam'l Duval, Joseph Lewis, Daniel Price, George Cox, Turner Southall, Nath'l Wilkinfon and Thomas Watkins.

Dr. Henrico Parish,

	Lbs., Tobo.	£	S	D.
To Rev'd Mr. Selden, his Annual Salary,	17,150	125	1	0
To Wm. Street, Clk Deep Run Church,	1,789	13	0	10
To Jas. Sharp, do., at Curl's,	1,789	13	0	10
To a Salary to be paid a clk Richmond Church, hereafter to be app'd, and to remain in the Church Wardens hands til such appointment'	1,789	13	0	10
To R'd Trueman, clk Boar Swamp Church, ³¹	500	3	12	11
To the Sexton of Curl's Church,	536	3	15	07
To R'd Williams, Sexton of the Town Church, and a power granted the Ch. W'dns to displace him if they think fit,	536	3	13	07
To Jos. Freeman, who is App'd Sexton of Deep Run Church, in the room of Jos. Ellis,	536	3	15	07
To Fortu. Sydnor, clk Vestry,	500	3	12	11
To the Ch. Wardens, for Ch. El'mnts,	300	2	3	09
To Thomas Alley,	500	3	12	11
To Ch. Wardens, for Matt. Bridgman,	700	5	2	01
To do., for Margaret Childrefs,	1,000	7	5	10
To do., for John West and Daughter,	1,000	7	5	10
To John Grimstead, for his Wife,	500	3	22	11
To do., for Molly Hogg and children,	700	5	2	01
To do., for Nath'l Bridgwater,	800	5	16	08
To do., Catharine McBurnet,	500	3	12	11
To do., for Ben. Goode,	600	4	7	06
To do., for Mary Frankling,	1,000	7	5	10
To Mary Swinton,	600	4	7	06
To Rich'd Moore,	800	5	16	08
To John Enroughty, for felf and son,	1,000	7	5	10
To John Orange, in the Ch. Wardens	1,000	7	5	10
To Martha Jordan,	300	2	3	9
To Jane Morris,	500	3	12	11

To John Ragland, for Rachel Burton, orphan of Ben. Burton,	500	3	12	11
To Sufa. Clarke,	200	2	2	01
To Matthew Bridgman, in the Ch. War- dens hands, for keep'g Michael Cul- ling, Sen.,	500	3	12	11
To B. Price, for keeping Jas. Culling- ton,	600	4	7	06
To Elvia. Clarke,	600	4	7	06
To Mary Thompson,	300	2	3	09
To Sufa. Clark, for keeping Waddell Brittain,		36	6	09
To Robert Spears, for Repairs done to Boar Swamp Church,		1	15	00
To Sam'l Robinson, for keeping John Thompson,		8	0	00
To Joseph Ellis, for Steps to D. R. Church,			5	00
To Clark and Halland,		3	9	07
To Jno. Redcross,		1	0	00
To Thomas Watkins, for Elv'a Baker,	300	3	2	09
		345	12	15
To the Sheriff, for collect'g, £551, 3, 1,		33	8	06
		379	0	11
To a Deposit'm, to remain in the hands of the Church Wardens to pay Contin- gent Charges,		178	2	02
		£557	3	3 01

Gr.

By 2,547 Tythes at 30 lbs. tob'o or 4,				
4½ ¹ / ₂ Poll, at the option of the payer,	£557	3	01	

Peter Winston,²² Gent., is app'd Collector of this Levy and ord'd, he give Bond and Sec'y to the Church Wardens for that purpose, and it is further Ordered, that he purchase a suff'ct

quantity of Tobacco to discharge the Salary of the Rev'd Mr. Selden.

Daniel Price and Turner Southall, Gent., Church Wardens, returned an Account with the parish, the ball'ce whereof due to the s'd Parish is, £74, 3, 1½. Ord., The Clk record the s'd Acc't, and in future every account of the like nature, for which the Vestry will make an allowance.

Ord., The Church Wardens pay Geo. Rowland £24, 0, 0, and that Richard Adams and Geo. Cox pay him the furrher sum of £75, 0, 0, if so much in their hands, in part for the Brick Wall he is about to raise round the town Church.

Dan'l Price and Nath'l Wilkinfon are app'd Church Wardens for the Ensuing Year.

DANIEL PRICE,
NAT. WILKINSON.

Dr. Henrico Parish in Acco. with Daniel Price and Turner Southall.

1772.

Feb. 7,	To Cash p'd for Necessaries for Mary Bol'g,	5	9
	To Cash p'd for a Bible and Prayer Book for Boar Swamp Meeting House,	4	10 0
	To Cash p'd for the Post, for bringing the Books,	5	0
	To Cash p'd the Printer, for Advertizing the Building—the Church,	7	0
	To Bushels of Corn for Matt Bridgeman,	5	7
	To the Depositum in tob'o, 12,796 lbs.		
	To Henry Britton, 1,000		
		13,796	
	To 2 pr. ct. on 11,102 lbs. Tob'o, at 18 ¢,	1	19 11½
	To 10 Casks, at 30 lbs. Tob'o each, 300 at 18 ¢,	2	14 0

	To Prig'g 10 Hhds. Tob'o, at 2-6,	1	5	0
Aug't 21,	To 2 Bush'ls Corn, for Matt Bridgman,		2	6
	To 1 Pr. of Shoes, of John McKnead, for H. Britton,		6	1
Sept. 6,	To Cash p'd Dr. Strachan, his Acco.,	6	2	3
Oct. 4,	To Cash p'd Mrs. Parsons, ditto,	7	4	6
	To 7 Yds. Linen, of W. Mitchel, for H. Britton,	15	10	$\frac{1}{2}$
	To 1 oz. Thread, for do.,			$7\frac{1}{2}$
	To 1 lb. Coffee, for Matt Bridgman,	1	6	
	To 2 lb. Bro. Sugar, for Ditto,	1	3	
28,	To $1\frac{1}{2}$ lb. bro. thr'd, 5 Ells Rolls, 4-7 qts. Rum, for Henry Britton,	8	1	
	To Cash p'd Rich'd Cottrell, his Acco.,	17	4	$8\frac{1}{2}$
	To do., Jno. Sherrer,	1	5	
	To do., Jno. Myers,	3	0	0
	To Ball & Contra,	74	3	$2\frac{1}{4}$
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		£122	7	2

Dr. Henrico Parish in acco. with D'l Price and T. Southall,
Cr.

1773.

By 4 Hhds. Tob'o, sold Neil Campbell, 4,349 lbs, @ $\frac{1}{2}$,	39	2	$9\frac{1}{2}$
By 6 Ditto, sold Richard Harmon, 4,753, @ $18\frac{1}{2}$,	60	15	$4\frac{1}{2}$
By Tob'o sold the Sheriff on the Notes, 2,694, @ 2 d.,	22	9	0
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		£122	7 2

By Ballance due the Parish,	£74	3	$1\frac{1}{4}$
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Truly Recorded.

Teste,

FORTU. SYDNOR, C. V.

Dr. Henrico Parish in Acco. with

Turner Southall and Daniel Price, Ch. Wdn's.

1773.

Dec. 18, To Cash p'd George Rowland, 24 0 0

1774.

Sept. 24, To Cash p'd Smith Blakey, 50 0 0
To Ball'ce due p Contra, 3 1 $\frac{3}{4}$

£74 3 1 $\frac{3}{4}$

Cr.

1773.

Nov. By Ball'ce Rendered this date, £74 3 1 $\frac{3}{4}$

Errors Excepted,

TURNER SOUTHALL.

Test,

FORTU. SYDNOR,
C. V.

A.

B.

C.

Ann Cocke, the daughter of Bowler Cocke and Sarah his wife, was born at Bowler's Farm, on Rappahannock river, the Eighteenth day of June, MDCCXX.

Sufanna Cocke, daughter to the said Bowler and Sarah, was born at Bremo, the Sixth day of November, MDCCXII, and died the October following.

Tabitha Cocke, was born the twenty-fifth of September, MDCCXXIV.

Bowler Cocke, was born the Seventh Day of March, MDCCXXVI.

Sarah Cocke was born the Sixth day of February,
MDCCXXVIII.

Eliza. Cocke was born the fifteenth day of May,
MDCCXXXI.

Richard Cocke was born the Seventh day of March,
MDCCXXXIII, and lived but twenty-five days.

Charles Cocke was born the Ninth day of September,
MDCCXXXV, and died the Fourth Day of August,
MDCCXXXIX.

D.

E.

F.

G.

H.

I.

K.

Francis Kemp, Son of Alexander Kemp and Matilda his
wife was (*born*) ye 13 day of October, 1735.

L.

Ann Lunfford, Daughter of Hannah Lunfford, mulatto,
was born Sept'r 13, 1731.

Elizabeth Lunfford, daughter of said Hannah, was Born July
ye 10 Day, 1732.

William Lunfford, Son of said Hannah, was born March ye
V day, 1785.

John Lunfford, Son of said Hannah, was born Sept'r ye 19
Day, 1737.

Mary Lunfford, Daughter of said Hannah, was born March
1 Day, 1739.

Entered, October ye 14, 1740.

Delivered me by Capt. John Redford.

SACK. BREWER,

Clk C Vefy.

Catherine Lorton, Daughter of Robert Lorton and Lucretia
his wife, was born the 12th March, 1737-8.

Ann Lorton, Daughter of the said Robert Lorton and Lucre-
tia his Wife, was born August 15th, 1740.

Thomas Lorton was born July the 14th, 1746.

Robert Lorton was born January 11th, 1749.

M.

Arthur Mosby was killed by a fall from his Horse ye 4th day
of October, Anno Dom. 1736.

Ann Middleton, Daughter of John Middleton and Judith his
Wife, was born ye 12 Day of October, Anno Dom.
MDCCXXXVII.

N.

O.

P.

Elizabeth Poval, Daughter of Robert Povall and Judith his
wife, was born in December, Anno 1729.

Robert Povall, Son of the Above said Robert and Judith,
was born ye 3rd Day of July, Anno 1732.

R.

Sarah, the Wife of Jno. Rees, who lately Arrived here in the
Snow Phoenix, from London, departed this Life the thirtieth
day of Aug't, Anno 1739.

S.

Richard Sharp, Son of Henry Sharp and Mary his wife, was born ye 1 day of January, 1735.

Mary, the Daughter of Henry Sharp and Mary his wife, was born the laft day of September, 1739.

Henry, the Son of do., was born ye 27 day of March, 1734.

Ann, the Daughter of do., was born ye 10th day of June, 1741.

T.

Michael Taylor, departed this life ye 11 Day of January, Anno 1735.

U.

V.

W.

Y.

DEATHS REGISTERED.

Edmund Liptrot, departed this life December ye 12, 1735-

Benjamin Hobson, departed this life Decemb'r ye 29, 1735-

Mrs. Mary Randolph,²³ departed this life Decemb'r ye 29, 1735.

No Person shall be Admitted a Vestryman or Church Warden untill he has taken the Oaths and subscribed to be conformable to the Doctrines and Discipline of the Church of England, as enjoined by the Statutes of 1 W. and M.

I do sincerely promise and swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to his Majesty King George So help me God.

I do swear that I do, from my heart, abhor, detest and abjure as impious and heretical, that Damnable Doctrine and position, that Primus excommunicated by the Pope, or any authority of the See of Rome, may be Deposed by their subjects or any other whatsoever. And I do declare, that no foreign Prince, person, prelate, State or Potentate, hath or Ought to have any Jurisdiction, power, Superiority, pre-eminent or Authority, Ecclesiastical or Spiritual, within this Realm. So help me God.

THE DECLARATION.

I, do declare that I do believe that there is not any Transubstantiation in the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, or in his Elements of Bread and Wine at or After the Consecration thereof, by any person whatsoever.

JOHN COLES,
WM. FINNEY,
WM. LEWIS.

Feb. 8th, JOHN ELLIS.

1749. BOWLER COCKE, jun'r.

THE OATH OF A CHURCH WARDEN.

You shall Execute the Office of a Church Warden in the Parish where you are Chosen for the ensuing year, According to your Skill and Discretion in his Majes. Laws, Ecclesiastical, now in force.

So help you God.

NOTES.

NOTE 1. *Curls Church*.—Though the orthography *Curls* appears to have quite generally obtained at the period of the text, and is, we are led to conclude, the only usage at the present time, it is obviously incorrect; the derivation being undoubtedly from the Virginia family name of *Curle*, to members of which grants of land, extending over a period of one hundred years, may be found recorded in the books of the State Land Registry Office. A prominent representative of the family was the patriot Wilson Roscow Curle, of the Revolutionary era.

The church was situated on the north side of James river, distant some eight or nine miles below the city of Richmond. Bishop Meade terms it "the Four Mile Creek, or Curls Church," and erroneously, [as is patent from the text,] gives the time of its erection as 1748. He bases his conclusion upon the following extract from a letter bearing date that year, from Richard Randolph of Curls, to his son Richard: "Pray assist Wilkinson all you can in getting the church finished, and get the shells that will be wanted carted before the roads get bad. The joiner can inform you what shells I have at the Falls; if more are wanted you must get them."*

* Old Churches and Families of Va, vol. 1, p. 138.

The Randolphs frequently undertook building. It is said that William Randolph, of Turkey Island, the first of the name in the Colony of Virginia, laid the foundation of the wealth and importance of his family, from the profits acquired in "building barns."† One account states that he landed in the Colony of Virginia with a "broad-axe upon his shoulder."‡ Col. Richard Randolph contracted, in 1739, to build the church at Richmond, agreeing to complete it by the 10th of June, 1741. It is not likely that it was so late as 1748 in being finished. At a meeting of the parish vestry, held October the 2d, 1742, a meeting of the Vestry was agreed upon, to be held at Curls Church in November following, to treat with undertakers for building a Chapel at Deep Run, and an appropriation was made towards the same of 10,000 lbs. of tobacco. This was, in all probability, the Church mentioned in the letter above quoted from. In May, 1826, Dr. John Adams presented to the Vestry of St. John's Church, Richmond, the baptismal font which had been used at Curls Church.§ It is of white marble, and is in perfect preservation. Curls Church was demolished within the past twenty years.

NOTE 2. *Col. Richard Randolph of Curls*, the son of Wm. Randolph of Turkey Island, was the grandfather of that meteoric, though most erratic genius, John Randolph of Roanoke. He married Jane, the daughter of John Bolling of Cobbs, who was the great-grandson of Pocahontas, his mother being June, the daughter of Thomas Rolph, or Rolfe, hence the

† Grigsby's Va. Convention of 1776, p. 77. Compbell's Va., p. 424.

‡ Neill's Va. Paper.

§ Ms. Vestry Book of St. John's Church. [Period commencing 1765.]

royal aboriginal descent so much vaunted by these families. Richard Randolph was a member of the House of Burgesses from Henrico, in 1740, and succeeded his brother William as Treasurer of the Colony. He died in England, December 17th, 1748, in the 58th year of his age. His widow died March 4th, 1766, aged 62 years.

Ms. Mem. Book of John Randolph of Roanoke.

NOTE 3. *Thomas Jefferson.*—The ancestors of the Jefferson family in Virginia are said to have emigrated from near Mount Snowden, in Wales. They were among the first settlers of the Colony. The name, Jefferson, appears as the representative from Fleur de Hundred, in the Colonial Assembly, which, by order of Governor Yearly, was convened in the choir of the Church at Jamestown, on the 30th of July, 1619. This was the first legislative body of Europeans, [so far as our historical records exhibit.] that ever assembled in the New World. The first Jefferson of whom any definite accounts are preserved, was Thomas Jefferson, who resided at Osborne's, on James River, in the now county of Chesterfield, which was formed from Henrico in 1748. He occupied a respectable social station, and was possessed of a competency. His children were three in number—sons: Thomas, of the text, [who died in the year 1731, his brother Peter being his executor,] Field and Peter, the father of President Jefferson, who was born February, 1708, and married, in 1738, Jane, the daughter of Isham Randolph, of Dungeress, in Goochland county. Peter Jefferson, though he enjoyed but few advantages of early education, was a man of vigorous intellect. Having adopted the profession of a surveyor, by continuous application he had made himself so proficient

in his calling, that he was chosen, in connection with Joshua Fry, Professor of Mathematics in William and Mary College, to continue the boundary line between Virginia and North Carolina, and afterwards assisted Mr Fry in preparing a map of the Colony of Virginia. Peter Jefferson was one of the first settlers, [about the year 1737,] of that portion of the county of Goochland which now forms that of Albemarle—the latter being formed in 1744. Goochland itself was carved from Henrico, in 1727. Peter Jefferson was a man of extraordinary physical strength; he could “head up,” that is raise from their sides to an upright position, at once, two hogsheads of tobacco weighing near a thousand pounds each. He died in 1757, leaving a widow, [who survived until 1776,] with six daughters and two sons, of whom Thomas, then fourteen years of age, was the elder.

Randall's Jefferson, vol. 1, pp. 5, 6. *Campbell's Va.* p. 604, and the text.

NOTE 4 *Parish Levies*.—By enactment, the sheriffs of the county, or an appointment of one of their number by respective parish vestries, was required to collect the public and parish levies, giving bond and security for the faithful performance of his duties. The assessments were made for loose tobacco, and for every hundred pounds paid in hogshead, an allowance of eight per cent. was made for the hogshead or “cask.” The collector was empowered to distrain for failure or delay in payment. Each parish was required to support its own paupers, and the inhabitants of one parish were forbidden, under a penalty, to entertain, hire or employ any tithable person from another parish, unless he or she could produce a receipt from the collector of the parish from

whence removing, for the taxes for the preceding year. All vagrants were adjudged "rogues and vagabonds," and were bound out for one year, if a hirer could be found. But if of such evil repute that no one would receive them, the County Court was empowered to order them "thirty-nine lashes on the bare back, well laid on, at the whipping-post, and then discharged." They were liable, however, to re-arrest and repeated punishment. Vagrants and paupers were authorized to be returned to the parishes of which they had last been resident. The Church Wardens were empowered to bind out, to the age of maturity, the children of such persons as were deemed incapable of supporting or bringing them up in "honest courses."

Hening's Statutes, vol. III, p. 264; vol. VI, pp. 29, 32.

NOTE 5. *Joseph Mayo* emigrated from the Island of Barbadoes, to Virginia, about the year 1727.* He was a merchant, and from the text, appears to have also followed surveying. His residence was Powhatan, the location of which is well authenticated as a residence of the aboriginal potentate of this name.† It is about a half a mile below Richmond, and lies "to the south of the road which runs parallel with the river, and on a verge of the second bank, or upper level of alluvium, some forty feet above the lower. The ground falls abruptly on the front or river side, and more gradually on the other quarters. On the east, the deep channel of a brook separates it from the most commanding point of the upland." Immediately on the selection of

* Bishop Meade's *Old Churches and Families*, vol. II, p. 39.

† *Mss. Deed Book of Wm. Byrd of Westover*, p. 93.

Jamestown for the seat of the Colony, "Newport, Smith and twentie others were sent to discover the head of the river. By divers small habitations they passed, in six days they arrived at a town called Powhatan, consisting of some twelve houses, pleasantly seated on a hill; before it three fertile isles; about it many of their corne-fields; the place is very pleasant, and strong by nature—of this place the prince is called Powhatan, and the people Powhatans—to this place the river is navigable; but higher, within a myle, by reason of the Rockes and Isles, there is not passage for a small Boat; this they call the Falles."[†] "A granite boulder, about a ton in weight, is pointed out as 'Powhatan's Tombstone,'" but there is no evidence justifying the designation. It bears many traces of rude carving. A row of symmetrical holes, an inch or more deep, runs along the top. On the sloping side, are graven marks of the shape of a child's and an adult's foot, a horse-shoe, and others less distinguishable. These are obviously of far greater age than other cuttings on the same surface, which are dated 1741, and which give, in two or three places, the initial M., of the family in possession: Mayo."[§] In a narrative of "Capt. Newport's discoveries, Virginia," May 21st, 1607, Powhatan is thus described: "We came to the second ilet described in the ryver; over against on Popham syde, is the habitayon of the greate Kyng Pawatah, [one of the early modes of spelling Powhatan,] which I call Pawatah's Tower. It is scituat upon a highe hill by the water syde; a playne between it and the

[†] Smith Hist. of Va., Richmond, Reprint, 1819, vol. I, pp. 151-2.

[§] Loungings in the Footprints of the Pioners, W. C. Bruce, Harper's Mag., May, 1859.

water, twelve score over, whereon he sowes his wheate, beane, peaze, tobacco, pompions, gowrds, hempe, flaxe, &c.; and were any art used to the naturall state of this place, it would be a goodly habitatyon."|| The brother of Joseph Mayo, Major William Mayo, is supposed to have settled in the Colony about the same time. He accompanied, as one of the surveyors, in the years 1728-9, the commission which ran the dividing line between Virginia and North Carolina, so racily chronicled in the Westover Mss. He also, in 1737, laid off for Col. William Byrd, [the second of the name,] the town of Richmond. The brothers were the ancestors of the present very respectable family of Mayo in Virginia. Col. Wm. Mayo, Jr., of Powhatan, served in the State line during the revolution, and was a member of the House of Delegates in 1780.

The late Hon. Joseph Mayo, for a long series of years Mayor of Richmond, a worthy representative of this family, compiled, we have been informed, a geneology which connected with the Mayos of England. It is to be hoped that it will be made public; the editor craves the privilege of copying.

NOTE. 6. *Processioning*.—By Statute, every fourth year, between the last day of September and the last day of March following, the bounds of every person's land were required to be processioned, or "gone round," and the land-marks renewed. Such marks being made by chopping the trees. The parishes were divided into precincts, and free-holders, [at least two to every precinct,] appointed to perform such duty.

|| *Arahologia American*, Trans. and Coll. Am. Art. Soc., vol. IV, p. 44.

They were required to make a return, in writing, to the parish vestry of the result of their action. It was "*Provided always*, That the processioning and settling the bounds of any lands belonging to any person being within the age of one and twenty years, feme covert, *non compos mentis*, imprisoned or out of the Colony, shall not be conclusive to such person untill after the expiration of six years from and after the said severall capacitys shall be removed and determined."

Hening's Statutes, vol. III, pp. 327-8.

NOTE 7. *Field Jefferson*, the brother of Thomas and Peter Jefferson, who died young and unmarried.

NOTE 8. *William Randolph* was the second of the name, of Turkey Island, where he is buried. He married Eliza Beverley, of Gloucester county. Had issue: Beverly, of Turkey Island; Peter, of Chatsworth, and William, of Wilton. The following is the inscription upon his monument:

Here lieth the Honourable
William Randolph, Esquire, Eldest Son
of Colo. William Randolph, of this place,
and of Mary, his wife,
who was of the antient and eminent family
of the Ishams, of Northamptonshire.
Having been introduced early into Business,
and passed thro' many of the inferior offices of Government,
with great reputation & eminent capacity,
He was at last,
By his Majesty's happy choice,
and the universal approbation of his country,
advanced to the Council.
His experience in Men & Business,
The native gravity & dignity
of his Person & Behaviour,
his attachments to the Interests of his Country,

knowledge of the laws in general,
 and of the laws and Constitution
 of this Colony in particular,
 his Integrity above all calumny or suspicion,
 the acuteness of his parts,
 and the extensiveness of his genius,
 Together with that solidity of Sense and judgment
 which were predominant in all he said or did,
 Rendered him not only equal,
 but an ornament to the high office he bore,
 and made him universally lament'd
 as a most able & impartial Judge,
 and an upright magistrate
 in all other respects.
 Neither was he less conspicuous
 for a certain majestic plainness
 of Sense and Honour, which carried him
 through all parts of private life
 with equal dignity and reputation,
 and deservedly obtained him the character
 of a just and good man
 in all the several duties & relations of Life.

Natus { Nov., 1681.
 Mortuus, { Oct. 19, 1742.

The following in relation to the origin of the designation,
Turkey Island, we hope may not be thought uninteresting.
 It is extracted from a quaint tract: "A RELATYON OF THE
 DISCOVERY OF OUR RIVER (JAMES) FROM JAMES FORKE INTO
 THE MAINE; MADE BY CAPT. CHRISTOPHER NEWPORT, AND
 SINCERELY WRITTEN AND OBSERVED BY A GENTLEMAN OF THE
 COLONY." (State paper office America and the West In-
 dies.) The author of which has recently been determined,
 upon proofs adduced by Prof. William Green, L.L. D.,
 Richmond, Va., to have been Capt. Gabriel Archer. On

Thursday, May 21st, 1607, (Campbell, Hist. of Va., gives the date as June 4th,) Capt. Christopher Newport "having fitted our shallop with provision"—"tooke five gentlemen, four maryners, and fourteen saylors; (the names are all given, Smith mentions only himself, Newport and twentie others.) with whom he proceeded, with a perfect resolutyon not to returne; but either to find the head of this ryver, the laake mentyoned by others heretofore, the sea againe, the mountaynes Apalatsi, (Appalachian, modern,) or some issue." Having narrated a voyage of thirteen miles, the account proceeds as follows: "May 22. Friday. Omitting no tyme, we passed up some sixteen myle further." [By recent measurement, the distance from City Point, near which is Turkey Island, to Newport News, (properly and originally Newport Nuce,) has been ascertained to be thirty miles, and to Jamestown, forty miles.] where wee found an ilet, on which were many turkeys, and greate store of young byrdes like black birdes; whereof we took dyvers, which we brake our fast withall," "the ryver skants of his breadth two mile before we come to the ilet mentyoned, (which I call Turkey Ile.)"

Archeologia Americana—Trans. Am. Ant. Soc. Vol. IV. pp. 41-2.

NOTE. 9. *John Bolling*, of Cobbs, the son of Robert Bolling, (son of John and Mary Bolling, of Bolling Hall, who lived in the parish of All-halloway, or Allhallows, Barkin Parish, Town street, London, the first of the name who settled in Va., born Dec. 26th, 1646, arrived in Va. Oct. 2d, 1660,) and Jane Rolfe, the grand-daughter of Pocahontas, was born Jan. 27th, 1676, and died April 10th, 1729. He devoted

himself to commerce and amassed a large fortune.* His daughter Jane, married the first Richard Randolph of Curles.

Mr John Bolling, Surveyor, is mentioned in 1704.†

NOTE 10. *The Rev. James Keith*.—The Rev. Mr. Keith removed to Maryland in 1735‡—doubtless him of the text. The name is a prominent one now, not only in that State, but also in Pennsylvania and Virginia.

NOTE 11. *The Rev. David Mossom* was born in London, Mch. 25th, 1690, and died Jan. 4th, 1767. He was the Rector of St. Peter's Church, New Kent Co., Va., for a period of forty years preceding his death. A beautiful marble tablet in the wall, on the right hand side of the pulpit, *did* record his virtues. "He officiated at the nuptials of General Washington, at the White House, a few miles from St. Peter's Church." || This venerable place of worship was the victim of the vandalism of the Federal troops during the late war, its associations with the memory of the Father of his Country, finding no responsive chord in the breasts of those zealous patriots, to stay their vengeful hands. "The Church itself was broken and battered, and rendered wholly unfit for use. The old massive stone font, in which the children of two centuries had been baptized, was broken and scattered in fragments over the floor. The chancel was torn down, the pulpit and desk broken and defaced, and not a sash was left in the windows."§ The monument to Mr. Mosson was also

* Memoirs of the Bolling Family, p. 4.

† Papers of the Virginia Church, Steevens, p. 96.

‡ Steeven's Va. Papers, p. 358.

|| Bishop Meade's Old Churches, &c., Vol. I, p. 386; Vol. II, p. 490.

§ The Communication in the "Richmond Dispatch" of Feb. 6th, 1871, over the signature "Senex."

destroyed—nought but fragments remaining. The parishoners lately appealed to the public for contributions to aid them to so far repair the old church, that divine service might be resumed within its hallowed halls.

NOTE 11. *Darby Enroughty*.—The locality, Darbytown, situate a few miles below Richmond, owes its designation to its having been at one time almost exclusively peopled by those bearing the name Darby or Enroughty. It being a remarkable fact that the two names, in common parlance among them, are regarded as synonymous and interchangeable. The first, Darby, obtaining prevalence because of its brevity and easier pronunciation. (It is claimed, and with apparent reason, that the name was originally *Derby*, which among the lower English classes is even now pronounced, as by those simple people.) Those of them, however, who are able to write their names, (in doing so,) generally use that of Enroughty—which name indeed a majority of them affix to legal instruments

We venture the highly probable conjecture that the individual above was the progenitor of this humble, honest and simple family. His neighbors and succeeding generations, with a wayward ruthlessness which is constantly repeating itself in matters of popular designation, adopting the cognomen which least taxed their linguistic skill.

NOTE 13 *Isaac Winston*.—The Winstons of Virginia are said to be descended from the ancient and honorable family of that name in England. Four of the name emigrated from Yorkshire, England, sometime previous to the year 1710. Three brothers—Isaac, of the text, William, Essex and James; and a cousin, Pleasant Winston. They were of the Society of

Friends, and left England to enjoy freedom of religious opinion.

1. Isaac,¹ resided first in Henrico and afterwards in Hanover County, Va. He married Sarah ———.

They had issue :

2. I. Anthony²

3. II. William.²

4. III. Mary² m. John Coles.

5. IV. Sarah² m. first, Col. John Syme, second, Col. John Henry.

V. ——— was the grand-mother of Mrs. Dolly (Payne,) wife of President Madison.

2. Anthony,² (*Isaac*.¹) b. Sept. 29th, 1723 ; m. Feb. 27th, 1747, Alice, (b. May 21st, 1730,) daughter of James and Alice Taylor, of Caroline Co., Va.

They had issue :

1. Sarah, b. Feb. 9th, 1748, died unmarried.

6. II. Anthony, b. Nov. 25th, 1750, m. Mch. 11th, 1776, Kezia Jones.

7. III. Alice, b. Mch. 20th, 1753, m. her cousin, Judge Edmund Winston, d. Feb., 1784.

IV. Martha, b. June 3d, 1759, m. Charles Woodson, of Buckingham Co.

4 Anthony³ (*Anthony*,² *Isaac*,¹) removed to Buckingham County, near the "New Store," in 1771 ; m. Mch. 11th, 1776, Kezia, (b. Feb. 1760,) daughter of John and Elizabeth (Walker) Jones, from Wales. Anthony Winston was a Member both of the House of Burgesses and the patriot Virginia Convention of 1775, from the County of Buckingham. He was also a Captain in the Army of the Revolution, and a gallant officer. He was the owner of Peter Francisco, famous for his feats of valor and strength, whom he released from slavery to allow to enlist in the patriotic army. He was sheriff of Buckingham County for a long series of years. He removed to Davidson, Co., Tenn., in the autumn of 1801.

Anthony and Kezia had issue :

- I. Anthony, b. Dec. 5th, 1782.
- II. John Jones, b. May 31st, 1785.
- III. Edmund, b. May, 2d, 1787, died in childhood.
8. IV. William, b. Mch. 24th, 1789, d. 1859.
9. V. Alice Taylor, b. Dec. 21st, 1790, m. John, son of John Pettus, of Fluvanna Co., Va. His sister, Mrs. Shelton Burgess, was living May, 1871, in her 80th year, with her son John, near Bremono Bluff, Fluvanna Co.
- VI. Joel Walker, b. Dec. 6th 1792.
- VII. Isaac, b. Jan. 22d, 1795.
- VIII. Mary Walker, b. Nov. 6th, 1796, m. Jesse Jones.
- IX. Betsy, b. Sept. 15th, 1798, d. an infant.
- X. Edmund, (second of the name,) b. June 15th, 1801, d. since the late war.
- XI. Thomas, b. May 3d, 1804, settled in Davidson Co., Tenn.

In 1811 or '12, all of the children of Anthony and Kezia Winston, excepting the two youngest (who remained with their parents in Tennessee,) removed to that locality of Mississippi Territory, which now constitutes Madison County, Alabama.

"In 1813, when the war with the Creek nation commenced, a family council was held in Madison County, to determine which one of the seven brothers, and brothers-in-law should be selected to remain and protect all the families," whilst the other six "went to the war." "Wm. Winston was selected on account of his firmness and prudence to protect the young families." The wives as well as their husbands were in the Council. "John Jones Winston was a

Captain, and his eldest brother, Anthony, a Lieutenant in his company—the other five served in the ranks.” General Jackson “was the personal friend of all these young men,” and bore cheerful testimony to the gallantry of each.

10. John Anthony Winston,⁵ son of (*William,⁴ Anthony,³ Anthony,² Isaac,¹*) d. Dec. 22d, 1871. He represented Sumpter Co., Ala., for many years in the General Assembly as Representative or Senator. He was Colonel of the — Ala. Regt., Volunteer Infantry, during the Mexican war; for two terms Governor of Alabama; President of the State Senate; Colonel Eighth Alabama Infantry, during the late war, participating in the battles fought on Virginia soil. He was elected United States Senator in 1866, but was not allowed to take his seat. He is described as having possessed an “unbending will” and a vigorous intellect. His style of speech was “bold and incisive.” He was never called an orator, but as a debater, he had few, if any, equals in the State. His personal courage was undoubted. He was as he represented his family as being: “very tolerant in matters of religious faith.”

11. John Jones Pettus,⁵ son of (*John and Alice Taylor,⁴ Pettus, Anthony Winston,³ Anthony,² Isaac,¹*) was educated for the bar, but preferred planting. He was for many years before the late war a Member of the Mississippi Legislature in both of its branches. He was twice Governor of that State.

Edmund Winston Pettus, brother of the preceding, was Solicitor for the State of Alabama for eight years; Judge of the Circuit Court of the State; Major and Lieutenant Colonel 20th Regiment Alabama Infantry, and Brigadier-General Confederate States Army during the late war. He was a gallant and efficient officer, and received the encomiums of his superior officers. He is now a distinguished practitioner of law in Selma, Ala.

2. William Winston,² son of (*Isaac*,¹) was called Langaloo William. "He was a great hunter; had a quarter in Bedford or Albemarle County; spent half the year there hunting deer. He was fond of the Indians, and dressed like them, and was a favorite with them. An amour with the daughter of an Indian Chief, who was engaged to another Chief, involved him in difficulties with the savages. They besieged him in a log fort for a week. He defended himself with the aid of three negroes with rifles. Tom, one of the negroes, stood guard every night; at length the favorite squaw went out and made peace between the belligerents. Langaloo William was a great Indian fighter."* He was endowed with those impassioned powers of natural and all-prevailing oratory, which rendered his nephew, Patrick Henry, the patriot immortal. Wirt, in his life of the latter, quotes the following anecdote from a correspondent—Wm. Pope—"I have often heard my father, who was intimately acquainted with this William Winston, say, that he was the greatest orator he ever heard—Patrick Henry excepted. That during the last French and Indian war, and soon after Braddock's defeat, when the militia were marched to the frontiers of Virginia against the Indians, this William Winston was a Lieutenant of a company. That the men who were indifferently clothed, without tents, and exposed to the rigor and inclemency of the weather, discovered great aversion to the service, and were anxious and were clamorous to return to their families; when William Winston mounting a stump (the common rostrum of the field orator of Virginia,) and addressed them with keenness of invective, and declaimed with such force of eloquence on liberty and patriotism, that when he concluded, the general cry was 'Let us march on; lead us against the enemy!' and they were now willing, nay anxious, to encounter all those difficulties and dangers which but a few minutes before had almost produced a mutiny."

William Winston² had issue:

I. Elizabeth, a beauty, m. Peter Fontaine.

* Article in the Virginia Standard, 185—.

II. Francis m. Dr. Walker.

III. Edmund, State Judge, m. first, his cousin, (*Alice*,³ daughter of *Anthony*,² *Isaac*,¹) died in 1813, in the fifth score year of his age ; second, Dolly, (*Dandridge*) the widow of Patrick Henry.

Issue by the first marriage :

I. George m. Dolly, daughter of Patrick Henry.

Issue, five sons who removed to the State of Missouri, and two daughters, one of whom Elvira, m. Dr. Charles Dandridge. "She was a poetical genius, and corresponded with Maria Edgeworth."

II. Edmund m.

III. m. Dr. George Cabell, of Campbell Co.

IV. Alice m. Frederick A. Cabell.

13. Winston,⁴ daughter of (*Judge Edmund*³ and *Alice*,³ *William*,² *Anthony*,² *Isaac*,¹) m. Dr. George Cabell, of Campbell Co.

Had issue :

I. Marian F. m. Landon R. Cabell.

II. Edmund Winston.

III. George K. m. Eliza V. ———.

IV. John B. m. Martha B. ———.

V. William L. m. Eliza ———.

VI. Paulina J. Cabell m. Alexander S. Henry.

VII. Alice Winston m. Walter C. Carrington.

Alice,⁴ daughter of Judge Edmund³ and *Alice*³ Winston, m. Frederick A. Cabell. Issue :

I. m. Dr. John Horsley.

II. m. John W. Mosby, uncle of Col. John S. Mosby, Partisan during the late war.

III. Frederick M. m. Coleman.

IV. Edmund Winston m. Lucy Galt.

V. Clifford, M. D., m. Anthony.

VI. Lewis Warrington m. Perkins.

5. Sarah Winston² (*Isaac*¹) m. first, Colonel John Syme, Member H. of Burgesses, and of the Virginia Convention of

1775. Col. in the Rev. Issue: Sarah² m. Samuel Jordan Cabell, Lieutenant-Colonel Revolution M. O. 1795. 1803. Sarah Syme² m. second; Col. John Henry, H. of Burgesses, prepared a map of Virginia. Issue:

I. Colonel William, Member of Virginia Assembly, from Fluvanna Co.

II. Patrick (the orator) m. Dolly Dandridge.

III. Lucy m. Valentine Wood.

IV. Jane m. Colonel Samuel Meredith, of Hanover Co.

14. Geddes,² son of (*William Essex Winston*,¹) died June 9th, 1784, and is buried in St. John's Church yard, Richmond. His wife also lies there.

They had issue:

I. Rebecca m. Dr. Radford.

II. Mary m. Rev. John D. Blair.

III. Samuel Jordan d. unmarried.

IV. Margaret m. Dr. John Adams.

V. Julia m. Dr. John Shore.

VI. Sarah m. Thomas Rutherford, of Richmond; enterprising and wealthy merchant and miller, who owned lots in every quarter of the city, which he had purchased during the period of real estate fever which prevailed directly after the war of 1812.

I. Colonel John, Lieutenant-Governor and Acting Governor of Virginia, 1841, d. 1870; m. Emily Ann Coles, who died August 26th, 1871. Issue: John Coles—House of Delegates, from Goochland County, for several years; Emily Ann m. January 24th, 1853, Patrick Henry, son of Philip Aylett—of King William County, a grand-son of Patrick Henry—who lost his life by the calamity of the falling of the floor in the Richmond Capitol, April 27th, 1870.

II. William.

III. Samuel Jordan.

IV. Alexander.

V. Thomas m. first, Josephine Sims; second, Sarah, daughter of Spotswood Wingfield.

VI. Gustavus.

VII. Jane m. Hodijah Meade.

VIII. Sarah m. Wm. B. Randolph, of Chatsworth.

IX. Martha m. Garland Tinsley, of Hanover Co.

15. Dr. John and Margaret (Winston) Adams,² (*Geddes*,² *William Essex*¹) had issue :

I. Mary m. Dr. John Minge.

II. Eliza m. John Heron.

III. Margaret m. first, Charles Pickett, second, Colonel Colonel George Mayo Carrington, of Richmond.

IV. Martha m. Burwell Moseley, of Norfolk.

V. Louisa m. Dr. Richard A. Carrington.

VI. Elvira m. David Minge.

VII. Richard m. Carter Harrison.

VIII. John m. ———.

4. Mary² (*Isaac*¹) m. Major John Coles, a native of Ireland. He was an early settler of Richmond, where he was engaged in merchandizing. A small frame building recently demolished, (1871) situated on Twenty-second, between Broad and Marshall streets, was pointed out as having been his residence. Many of the timbers, though more than a century old, were in a perfect state of preservation. Major John Coles was buried beneath the old Church at Richmond, the floors of which being removed in 1857, to replace the joists which were in a decayed condition, a metallic plate, bearing his name, was found. It was, however, so much corroded that it fell to pieces.

John and Mary Coles had issue: Four sons and five daughters, of whom—

I. Walter m. Lightfoot, of Sandy Point. Issue: Mildred m. Judge Paul Carrington, the younger.

II. John settled in Albemarle, m. Rebecca, daughter of Henry Tucker. Issue:

I. Mary m. Carter, of Redlands.

II. Rebecca m. John Singleton, of S. C.

III. m. Hon. Andrew Stevenson.

IV. Elizabeth.

V. Walter.

VI. Edward. First Governor of Illinois, m. first, Light-foot. Issue: Isaac Coles.

VII. Emily Ann m. Col. John Rutherford.

VIII. Tucker.

IX. John.

X. Colonel Isaac m. Catharine Thompson, of New York, a sister of whom married Elbridge Gerry in 1790.

Colonel Isaac and Catharine (*Thompson*) Coles had issue:

I. Walter.

II. Thompson.

III. John.

IV. Robert.

V. Jacob.

VI. Catharine m. Baldwin, son of Philip Payne.

VII. Mary m. James M. Whittle.

The late George Winston, of Richmond, is supposed to have been a descendant of Pleasant Winston, one of the original emigrants—the connecting links cannot, however, be stated by his family.

His children were:

I. James.

II. Pleasant, now residing in Missouri. (He makes claim to a portion of the Chimborazo property of Richmond, which was the site of a Confederate Hospital during the late war.)

III. Virginia J. m. W. F. Butler; d. Nov. 22d, 1872, in her 57th year.

The descendants of James Winston¹ in Hanover, Caroline, Louisa, and Goochland Counties, have long filled offices of local trust, clerks, sheriffs, &c. Mr. Winston was Lieutenant and Adjutant of Lee's Legion of Cavalry during the Revolution.

The names of John and Benjamin Winston are among the

list of officers pensioned by the State of Virginia for service during the Revolution.

“Joseph Winston, born in Virginia, 1746; d. near Germantown, N. C. 1814. He joined a company of rangers in 1760; was twice wounded in an Indian fight on the Greenbrier; was pensioned by the Legislature for his gallantry; removed to Stokes County, N. C., 1766; was its representative 1775-6, and was appointed a Major; was in several fights victorious, and for his bravery at King's Mountain, where he commanded the right wing, had a sword voted him by the Legislature. Commissioner to Cherokee Indians, with whom a treaty was made in 1777; first Senator from Stokes' County, in 1791; and Member of Legislature repeatedly until 1812; M. C. 1793-5 and 1803-7. His son, General Joseph, d. in Platte County, Mo., Mch. 24th, 1810, aged 52. He filled an important position in Stokes County, N. C.; served in the war 1812; was for many years in the State Legislature, and was a Major-General of Militia.”—Drake's Dec. Am. Biog.

We take this occasion to express our indebtedness for valuable information embodied in the preceding note, which was rendered us with a prompt heartiness, by the late Hon. John Anthony Winston, of Mobile, and General Edmund Winston Pettus, of Selma, Ala.; whose action is the more highly appreciated, because they were the sole representatives of the Winston Family, from whom we received any manner of assistance—the remainder of our *many* applications having been entirely neglected, or met with unpardonable rudeness.

Our office may have been an unimportant one ; it has surely been as thankless as it has been gratuitous.

NOTE 14. *The Reverend Wm. Stith* was the son of William Stith and Mary, the daughter of William Randolph, of Turkey Island.

The issue of William and Mary Stith, was :

I. William, b 1789; m. Judith, daughter of Thomas Randolph, of Tuckahoe ; d. 1755. Issue : Mary, died unmarried.

II. John, of Charles City County, Va.

III. Mary m. Commissary William Dawson, of William and Mary College, Va.

Issue :

A son who m. Johnson, of North Carolina, whose son, William Johnson Dawson, was a Member of Congress 1793-5, from N. C.*

“ On the death of her husband, Mr. Stith, at the instance of her brother, Sir John Randolph, removed to Williamsburg, and placed her son (William) in the grammar-school attached to the College of William and Mary, where he pursued his academic studies, and graduated. His theological studies were completed in England, where he was ordained a Minister of the Episcopal Church. On his return to Virginia, in the year 1731, he was elected Master of the Grammar-school in the College, and Chaplain to the House of Burgesses.”† On the 16th of July, 1736, he was in-

† Bishop Meade's *Old Churches, &c.* Vol. 1, p. 138.
stalled as Rector of Henrico Parish. At the Golbe House, of which at Varina, he wrote his history of Virginia. In August, 1752, he was elected President of William and Mary College, to which he removed, and over which he presided until his death in 1755.

NOTE 15. *Peter Randolph*, of Chatsworth, was the second son of the second William Randolph, of Turkey Island. He married Lucy, daughter of Robert Bolling, of Bollingbrook.

* Ms. Mem., Book of John Randolph, of Roanoke.

He was Clerk of the House of Burgesses, and Attorney-General of Virginia. Later, a Judge of the State Court. His portrait is at "Shirley," on James River.

NOTE 16. *Beverley Randolph*, of Turkey Island, was the first son of Wm. Randolph. He married Miss Lightfoot, of Sandy Point, and had no issue.

NOTE 17. *Major John Coles*.—Vide Note 13.

NOTE 18. *Richard Randolph, Jr.*, Member of the House of Burgesses, 1769: son of the first Richard, of Curles, married Ann, daughter of David Meade, of Nansemond County. They had issue:

I. Richard married Maria Beverly, of Blandford.

II. David Meade, b. 1769, d. September 22d, 1830; Col. of cavalry in the Revolution; m. Mary Randolph, of Tuckahoe. He was appointed Marshal of Virginia by Washington, which office he held until the Presidency of Mr. Jefferson when, being a Federal in politics, he was displaced. The Colonel and his lady were a jovial couple, and dispensed a generous and hearty hospitality. Their residence at Richmond was the commodious one now known as Allan's, (the present owner being the widow of the late John Allan, Esq., commonly termed "Jock," the patron of Edgar Allan Poe,) situated at the corner of Fifth and Main streets—the grounds of which extended to Sixth street. A frequent guest, Mr. Edmund W. Rootes, a prominent merchant of that day, of skillful rhyming capacity, of a highly facetious order, dubbed the Randolph mansion *Moldavia*, thus ingeniously uniting the christian names of host and hostess.* "*A letter from Hickory Cornhill, Esq., to his friends in the Country*," humorously and graphically depicting in rhyme, the follies and vices of fashionable society of the beginning of the present century, when card playing, to which both sexes were addicted, was a feature of every social gathering, and the costumes were as ludicrous as they were indecent, is attributed to Mr. Rootes; claim, however, has also been

* Richmond in *By-Gone Days*, Second Ed., p. 127.

laid for it, for both the accomplished William Wirt, and the learned St George Tucker, the elder. We cannot decide the question upon the intrinsic or internal character of the composition, and we are much too youthful to be able to more than transmit further the several traditions.

It was republished in the Southern Literary Messenger, May, 1838. It appears also in Mr. Mordicae's entertaining little book, "Richmond in By-Gone Days," Second Edition. He ascribes the lines to *George Tucker*.

III. Brett m. Lucy Beverley, of Blandford.

IV. Ryland m. Elizabeth Frayser.

V. Susanna m. Benjamin Harrison, Jr., of Berkeley.

VI. Jane m. Archibald Bolling, of Buckingham Co.

VII. Anne m. Brett Randolph.

VIII. Mary m. Col. Wm. Bolling, of Licking Hole, Member of House of Delegates, of Virginia.

IX. Eliza m. David Meade.

X. Sarah m. William Newburne.

NOTE 19. *William Randolph*, of Wilton, m. Anne, sister of Governor Benj. Harrison, and daughter of Benjamin Harrison, of Berkeley, and Anne, (Carter) his wife. In 174 5-6 he was elected to the House of Burgesses for Goochland, vice William Randolph, of Fighting Creek, deceased.

They had issue :

I. William d. young.

II. Peter, Clerk of the House of Burgesses, in 1749. He m. first, Mary, grand-daughter of Governor Alexander Spotswood; second, Mary Page, of North River—died without issue.

III. Harrison.

IV. Benjamin.

V. Peyton m. Lucy, daughter of Gov. Benj. Harrison.

VI. Anne m. Benj. Harrison, of Brandon.

VII. Elizabeth m. Philip Grymes, of Brandon, Rappahannock County. No issue.

VIII. Lucy m. Lewis Burwell, of King's Mill. No issue.

NOTE 20. *Simuel Du Val* was a Member of the House of Burgesses in 1773; of the Virginia Convention of 1775, and an officer of the Revolution.

NOTE 21. *Rev. Miles Selden* was the son of Joseph, first settler of the name in Virginia. He was Chaplain of the Virginia Convention of 1775. A son, Miles Selden, Jr., represented the County of Henrico, in the Virginia Assembly for several years.

NOTE 22. *Thomas Adams* was one of the Delegates from Virginia to the Convention held in Philadelphia in 1778, and a signer of the articles of Confederation between the States. He was a member of the Virginia Senate of 1786, from Augusta County. He was a brother of Colonel Richard Adams, the elder.

NOTE 23. *Ryland Randolph*, son of Richard Randolph, of Curles. He inherited an ample fortune, which, remarks his sarcastic Kinsman, "of Roanoke," "he squandered to the last shilling."

NOTE 24. *Turner Southall* was a member, successively, of the both branches of the Virginia Assembly for a series of years during the Revolutionary war, and afterwards. He was a zealous patriot and a highly useful citizen, being frequently elected to local offices of trust and importance.

NOTE 25. *Richard Adams*.—This was Col. Richard Adams, the elder, (son of Ebenezer, of York County,) born in 1723; died August 2d, 1800; married April 10th, 1755, Elizabeth Griffin, (sister of Judge Cyrus Griffin, of Virginia, President

of the old Congress of 1788,) born 1738, died Dec. 23d, 1800. Colonel Adams was a member of the House of Burgesses 1773; of the Convention of 1775, and of the Virginia Assembly frequently afterwards. He was an enterprising and public spirited citizen, inaugurating many and fostering most of the schemes of local improvement of his day. His means were ample and his landed possessions within the limits, and in the immediate vicinity of Richmond probably more extensive than any other, then resident. His residence on Richmond or Church Hill is still standing, being the large wooden building at the corner of 22d and Grace streets, so long occupied by the late Loftin N. Ellett, Esq., and now used as a convent by the Roman Catholic Church. When first occupied by Colonel Adams it was within the outer limits of a thick grove of forest trees, a representation of which, a primeval oak, of monarchical dimensions, is still standing a few hundred yards distant, near the corner of 24th and Grace streets. Both the mansion of Col. Adams and the venerable St. John's Church were used as barracks by the British soldiery, under the traitor Arnold, during his occupancy of Richmond in 1781. The efforts of Col. Adams to induce the tide of improvement in the growing little town and embryo city of Richmond in the direction of his landed possessions on Richmond Hill, were constant and strenuous. A venerable descendant, a grand-daughter—Mrs. Eliza Griffin Carrington, now in her 83d year, relates to me an authentic tradition of her childhood: That quite a warm friendship at one time existed between her ancestor and Thomas Jefferson, who was a frequent guest of Col. Adams. During a visit of the former, not long preceding the Resolu-

tion of the Assembly of Virginia, to remove the seat of government from Williamsburg to Richmond, Jefferson, who was cognizant then of the measure, pledged himself to Col. Adams, in case of its success, to secure the location of the public buildings on Richmond Hill. Colonel Adams, in view of the prospective ultimate advantages in the enhancement in value of his surrounding property, promising a donation of the requisite sites, for which were proposed commanding points. . The Act for the removal of the seat of government was passed June 4th, 1779,* though the definite location of the building was not indicated until the May term of 1780, when it was directed to be made upon Shockoe Hill. The following were the directors therein nominated to carry into effect the provisions of the Act, viz.: "His Excellency, Thomas Jefferson, esquire, Archibald Cary, Robert Carter Nicholas, Richard Adams, Edmund Randolph, Turner Southall, Robert Goode, James Buchanan, and Samuel Du Vall "† Mr. Jefferson incurred the life long enmity of Col. Adams because of the disappointment of the latter. Colonel Adams, at a period little later, erected, in Shockoe Creek Valley, upon the site now occupied by the depot buildings of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, a substantial and spacious market house for the convenience of the residents of Richmond Hill. Three sons of Colonel Adams were also prominent and useful citizens: Colonel Richard, Jr., (born Nov. 28th, 1760, died January 9th, 1817;) Samuel Griffin, (born May 5th, 1776, died July 15th, 1821;) (both of whom served in the Virginia Assembly,) and Dr. John, (born July

* Journal Ho. of Delegates, ed. Williamsburg, 1779; p. 41.

† Hening's Statutes, X.; p. 318.

14th, 1773, died June 23d, 1825,) who was, for some time, Mayor of Richmond; a daughter, Annie, (born Oct. 27th, 1762, died Oct. 27th, 1820,) married Col. Mayo Carrington, of Cumberland County. Colonel Adams and many of his descendants lie buried in the family cemetery, provided by himself, situated at the corner of 23d and Marshall streets. It occupies one-fourth of a square, and is substantially enclosed with a high brick wall. There is within our knowledge, only one other private burying-ground for the dead within the city limits, which is that of the Pickett family, immediately adjoining this, the enclosure of which has fallen to decay, and all of its tombstones have been shattered or defaced by the sacriligious hands of wanton urchins, who, until police surveillance was instituted, threatened to reduce the hallowed grounds of the time eloquent St. John's, to the same lamentable condition—many of its monuments presenting painful evidences of their earnest assiduity in the heartless work of mutilation and obliteration.

We are not aware that there have been any interments in the Pickett grounds for a number of years past.

Colonel Richard Adams, Jr., inherited the paternal residence; his brother Samuel erected the large mansion which formerly stood at the corner of 22d and Broad streets, and which was latterly known as Bellevue Hospital. It was destroyed by fire some years since. One of the Public School Houses now occupies its site, and Dr. John built and occupied that which is now known as the Van Lew residence, situated at the corner of 24th and Grace streets.

The descendants of Col. Richard Adams, the elder, are

still represented by family names, the most prominent and of the first social position in the State.

NOTE 26. *John Ragland* was the son of John and Anne (Beaufort) Ragland, who emigrated from Wales to the Colony of Virginia about the year 1723, and settled in Hanover Co. Grants of land to the extent of 16,000 acres are recorded in the Land Registry Office of Virginia, in the name of John Ragland.¹

His issue was :

I. John (of the text,) married Ann Dudley, and settled in Goochland County.

II. William² married and had issue.

III. Samuel² married and settled in Louisa County. Had issue.

IV. James² married Catharine Davis. Had issue.

V. Evan² settled in Antrim Parish, Halifax Co.; married. Had issue.

VI. Pettus.²

VII. Martha² married Thomas Tinsley.

VIII. Francis² married Jeremiah Pate.

Pettus Ragland² (John¹) married Elizabeth Davis, of Hanover County.

Had issue :

I. Jean,³ born April 12th, 1755, married Wm. Chick.

II. John,³ born July 29th, 1756.

III. William,³ born September 17th, 1757.

IV. Sarah,³ born February 5th, 1759, married William Rice.

V. Elizabeth,³ born March 24th, 1760, married B. Wright.

VI. Pettus,³ born July 8th, 1761. Moved to Halifax County.

VII. Samuel,² born April 12th, 1764. Died young.

VIII. Martha,² born Sept. 17th, 1765.

IX. Evan,² born Sept. 5th, 1767, married ——— Yearmans, of Louisa County. Removed to Tennessee.

X. Anne Beaufort,² born Oct. 7th, 1768.

XI. Nancy,² born July 13th, 1770, married Dr. Thomas Starke.

XII. Catharine,² born 1778, married John Bowe.

XIII. Fendall,² born 1780, died 1833, married Sarah, (died 1833) daughter of Edward and Amelia Nelson, who were cousins and descendants in the third generation of Edward, born 1690, (son of James Nelson, of Essex County, England,) who emigrated to Virginia in the year 1718, and married in 1719, Mary, the daughter of Edward and Jane Garland, of New Kent County, Va.

The issue of Fendall² and Sarah (Nelson) Ragland was eight sons and four daughters—of whom Elizabeth Mildred,⁴ born Feb. 20th, 1814, married May 19th, 1836. Robert King, (son of John Philip and Elizabeth [King] Brock, born December 15th, 1801, died May 27th, 1850. The editor, who is of their issue, and who has much material towards a genealogical account of the Ragland, Davis, Nelson and Garland families, would most thankfully enter into correspondence with any representative of either family who may be kindly disposed to further his object. To all such, he most heartily tenders any desired information he may have in possession.

NOTE 27. *John Randolph* married Francis, daughter of Richard Bland.

Issue:

I. Richard married Judith Randolph.

II. Theodrick Bland died young.

III. John, (of Roanoke) M. C. and Minister to Russia.

IV. Jane Randolph.

NOTE 28. *Nathaniel Wilkinson*, Member of the House of Delegates of Virginia, 1778-95. A prominent and most useful citizen.

NOTE 29. *Thomas Watkins*.—The Watkins family of Virginia is supposed to be of Welsh descent. The name of James Watkins appears among the early emigrants of 1608. He may have been the ancestor of the family in Virginia. The first of the name of whom anything definite is known, was Thomas Watkins, of Swift Creek, Cumberland County, whose will bears date 1760. He had eight children. His eldest son, Thomas, of Chickahominy, (of the text) is thus spoken of by the late Benjamin Watkins Leigh, his great nephew: "Of Thomas Watkins, of Chickahominy, I have heard very full accounts from my mother, (his father was the Rev. William Leigh, of Chesterfield County,) and from my uncle Thomas, both of whom knew him well. He was a man of the highest respectability, in every point of view, and in particular, a man of indefatigable industry." He reared a large family of children, four sons and seven daughters, from whom have proceeded many descendants of various family names, in Virginia and the Southern States.

His brother, Benjamin Watkins, married Miss Cary, of Warwick. He was the first clerk of Chesterfield County, which office he held until his death. He was a man of capacity and a sterling patriot. He was a member of the Convention of 1776, and took an active part in the affairs of the Revolution. One of his daughters married the Rev. Wm.

Leigh, the father of the chaste and elegant orator and able statesman, Benjamin Watkins Leigh, and the pure minded and learned Judge William Leigh, who so long and spotlessly wore the ermine. Another daughter, Francis, married Wm. Finnie, of Amelia County, from whom are descended the numerous families of Finnie, Royall, Worsham, Sydnor and others, in Virginia and North Carolina.

His son, Thomas Watkins, married Rebecca, the daughter of the Rev. Miles Selden; and one of their daughters was the first wife of Benjamin Watkins Leigh; another of Dr. Thomas Barksdale, of Halifax County.

NOTE 30. *William Randolph*.—This is presumed to be William Randolph, of Bristol, son of Isham, of Durgeness.

NOTE 31. *Boar Swamp Church*.—This church, so designated from the swamp near which it was built and which still retains its original name, was situated about twelve miles east of Richmond, upon the continuation of what is known as the Nine Mile Road. We have been informed that the original church was destroyed by fire, and another built upon its site by the Baptist denomination. The following extract determines the latter event:

“About 1773, he—Rev. Elijah Baker—began to stretch his lines, and to travel more extensively. Coming down into the lower end of Henrico, he, in conjunction with one or two others, planted Boar Swamp Church” *

The church has been frequently repaired, and its appearance, doubtless, somewhat altered. It has for a number of years past been known as Antioch Church.

* Semple's Hist. of Va. Baptists, p. 393.

NOTE 32. *Peter Winston*.—We are led to conclude this Peter Winston to have been the son of James, one of the three brothers, emigrants to Virginia.—Vide Note 13.

The issue of Peter Winston was :

I. Isaac² m. Elizabeth, daughter of Capt. Wm. Burton.

II. William² m. Martha Mosby, removed to Ky.

III. Peter² m. Louisa Mosby.

IV. John² m. Susan, daughter of Capt. John Austin, of Hanover County. Of the same family was Moses Austin, the founder of Texas, who was a merchant in Richmond in 1789. He was also engaged in the manufacture of shot, by the old method of towers, for some years. He was the contractor for covering the State Capitol with a leaden roof.

V. Susan² m. Anderson Grubbs.

Isaac Winston² (Peter.¹)

Issue:

I. Emily² m. Dr. Reuben Meredith.

II. Elizabeth² m. Colonel Charles Parke Goodall, member of House Delegates, 1816; son of Major Parke Goodall, House of Delegates, Rev. Officer, Lieutenant of the company of volunteers of 1775, organized and commanded by Patrick Henry. Major Goodall was the proprietor of the Indian Queen Tavern, of Richmond, in "olden time." A son of Charles Parke, Charles Parke, (M. D.,) Member of House Delegates, 1864.

III. Mary² m. Wm. Wingfield.

IV. Amanda² m. James Williamson.

V. Thomas² m. ——— Johnson.

William Winston,² (Peter¹.)

Issue :

I. A daughter³ m. Dr. ——— Jones.

II. “ m. ——— Sheppard.

Peter Winston,² (Peter¹.)

Issue :

Ann Crawley² m. John Jones.

John P. Winston,² (Peter¹.)

Issue :

I. Mary Ann³ m. July 31st, 1817, Peter De Moville, of Charles City County ; Member of House of Del. 1816-18.

Issue—Felix⁴ removed to Tennessee.

II. Peter³ m. ——— Wood.

Issue :

Charles H , (A. M.,) Principal Baptist Female Institute, Richmond.

Susan Winston² (Peter¹) m. Anderson Grubbs.

Issue :

Peter Winston Grubbs.

NOTE 33. *Mrs. Mary Randolph*, the wife of William, the first of the name who settled in Virginia. The date of her death was unknown to that indefatigable genealogist, her brilliant descendant, John Randolph, of Roanoke, and it has been obliterated by the ravages of time from her monument at Turkey Island.

APPENDIX.

A.—Bowler Cocke, p. 3, line 8. He, together with his brother, were among the patentees of the rich land of Curle's Neck, on James River, which was granted in one hundred acre lots. He was clerk of Henrico County in 1738.

B.—Four-Mile Creek, p. 5, line 13. So called from its distance from Henrico Town.

C.—James Cocke, p. 16, line 16. Clerk of Henrico County in 1699.

D.—Cornealious's, p. 22, line 38, (Cornelious's Creek.) So called from Cornelius De Hull, who owned land contiguous to it.

E.—Joseph and John Pleasants, p. 26, lines 22–3. These were the sons of John Pleasants, who emigrated to Virginia from England in the year 1665, and settled in Henrico County. The editor has in his possession a genealogical "Tree" of this family, which though unbroken as regards names, and extending almost down to the last generation, is deficient in dates. He has also manuscript material pertaining to the history of the family, who were originally, in point of religious belief, of the Society of Friends. The late Governor James Pleasants, Jr., John Hampden Pleasants, his son, the able journalist, founder and until his death in 1846 editor of the *Richmond Whig*, and Hugh Rose Pleasants, the brother of the latter, so well known, more recently in connection with

the Richmond Press, were the descendants of Joseph Pleasants of the text. The editor desires to perfect as far as may be practicable, a genealogy of the family, and would be grateful to any of its members, who might be kindly disposed to aid him with information concerning it.

F.—Robert Pleasants, p. 70, line 2. The son of John, the younger, (vide preceding note.) He possessed a vigorous intellect, and was a man of most indomitable energy. He engaged in mercantile pursuits as well as planting, and was remarkably successful in the acquisition of wealth. He owned and resided upon the Curle's Plantation. He entered heartily into all schemes of philanthropy, and agricultural and mechanical improvements. A subject, in which he was deeply interested, was the emancipation of the African race from slavery in this country—in behalf of which he was in constant correspondence with the early advocates of the measure, both here and in England. The warmest esteem existed between him and the prominent philanthropists of Pennsylvania, Anthony Benzenet, James Pemberton, John Smith and others. Though he possessed a number of slaves, he emancipated them all by will. He conducted a correspondence with Robert Bolling, Jr., of Chellowe, Buckingham county, on the culture of the vine, the manufacture of wine in Virginia, and upon kindred subjects, in 1765–70. He died near the close of the last century.

G.—St. Peter's Church, New Kent County; vide note 11. *Rev. David Mossom*. It affords us deep gratification to be able to present the following extracts from a local announcement in the columns of the "Richmond Daily Dispatch," of the issue of November 14th, 1872, concerning this sacred

relic of the past: "This old church has been substantially and beautifully repaired, and will be re-opened for service ———. The original designs which had been shamefully changed, have been restored. The high arched ceiling has been replaced, the walls replastered, finished with a hard coat, and pencilled to represent stone. A new gallery has been put up in the end of the church, and other modern improvements not inharmonious with its original design introduced. It is now one of the most beautiful, comfortable and effective of the country churches."

H.—Jonathan Boucher, page XI, second foot line. John Mercer, the editor of an abridgement of the Laws of Virginia, printed by William Parks, at Williamsburg, in 1737, in a diary kept by him in Spotsylvania county, in 1766, mentions a "Parson *Bouchier*." Could this be adopted as the correct rendering of the name, the variable orthography of the text might readily be accounted for as apparent attempts at adaptation to its pronunciation.

I.—Page XXII, foot note. *New Church*. Since the commitment of the foregoing pages to the printer, the editor has been informed that the entire walls of the New Church were erected prior to the abandonment of the work.

J.—Joseph Mayo, note 5, page 163. A recent visit of the editor to the old burying ground of the Mayo family at Powhatan,* enables him to present what he hopes will not be considered an uninteresting addition to this note.

The Cemetery is in area about fifty by one hundred feet, and is well enclosed by a brick wall—several cedar trees within

* Now owned by Mr. Geo. S. Prince.

the inclosure, measuring nearly two feet in diameter, are evidently of indigenous growth. The Cemetery is distant from the mansion some two hundred yards, following the current of the river, (between the two, lie the recently erected depot buildings of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad.) It occupies the summit of an eminence rivalling that on which is built the mansion. Its military advantages caused its selection during our late unhappy strife as the site of fortifications, which remain a little to the left of the Cemetery, almost as well-defined as when they were manned by the heroes of the "lost cause."

The Cemetery (in which there is doubtless a number of unmarked graves) contains more than a score of monuments to the dead, bearing the family names of Mayo, Poythress, Macon, Scott, Cabell, Fulton, Thom and Atkinson—among the more interesting of them are the following:

[MAYO ARMS.]

HERE lyeth interred the Body
Of JOSEPH MAYO,* Gent.,
Born in Sumersetshire,
March 25th, 1693, and died
March 25th, 1740. Aged, 47 years.

Near this Tomb, also lie Interred
The Bodys of three of his children ;
who died in their infancy,
viz : IOSEPH MAYO, born March
the 28th, 1729, and died Oct. ye 9, 1732 ;
MARIANNA MAYO, born May ye

* The Joseph Mayo of the text.

24th, 1731, and died Sept. 5th, 1732;
 STEPH., the 2d, born Sept. 18th, 1735,
 and died Oct'r, 1736.

[MAYO ARMS.]

Here lyeth Interred the Body
 Of GEORGE MAYO, Eldest son
 of Joseph Mayo, was born
 In the Island of Barbadoes,
 August 30th, 1717, Died Feb. ye 19th, 1739.

The two preceding are companion stones, lying side by side, prone upon the earth. They are, in dimensions, six feet six inches in length, by three feet three inches in width, and are fully five inches in thickness, the edges being rounded into the ogee form. The material is apparently a kind of marble of great hardness and density; in color, a slatish gray. The perfect preservation of the inscriptions in all of their minutiae and the still unmarred and polished surface of the stones, are evidences of their unusual durability: The carved inscriptions were palpably by a skilled hand. The family coat of arms being most artistically executed. The Mayo coat of arms is as follows: Azure, vair gules argent, between three coronets *or*. Crest, a unicorn's head crased, bearing a chevron vair gules and argent. Here the arms appear with a crescent for difference, and are rendered with an Esquire's helmet surmounting the shield, and an exquisite mantling of scroll work.

The two following are head-stones of gray sandstone.

Sacred
 To the Memory
 of

JOHN MAYO,
 Who died June 17, 1786.
 Aged, 50 years.
 Inspired by a grateful recollection
 of parental care and protection,
 this stone is rais'd by Filial Affection.

Sacred
 To the Memory
 of
 MARY MAYO,
 Spouse of J. M., who died
 Sept. 1792, in the 60th
 year of her Age.

Now follows a venerable couple—the tombs side by side,
 altar-shaped and of white marble :

In Memory of
 Our Father,
 WILLIAM MAYO,
 Who was born in the county of Gloucester,
 Sept. 26th, 1757.
 Died in Richmond, August 12th, 1837.
 Aged, 84 years.

In Memory of
 Our Mother,
 ELIZABETH POYTHRESS,
 Consort of William Mayo,
 Born in the County of Prince George, 1759.

Died at Powhatan scat, Aug. 6th, 1806.

Aged, 47 years.

The two next are handsome monuments of white marble, obelisk in form. The inscriptions, which are presented on four sides of the one and three of the other, are as follows :

- N. Sacred
 To the Memory of
 Colonel JOHN MAYO,
 He was born
 the 21st October, 1760, at
 Deep Creek, Powhatan courty,
 and died at
 Belleville,
 in the
 County of Henrico,
 May 28th, 1818.
 Aged,
 57 years and 7 months.
- W. He was endowed
 with an active mind, a feeling heart,
 and liberal spirit.
 Richmond
 will long remember his useful life,
 to which she owes various
 improvements,
 particularly the important
 Bridge
 which bears his name and connects
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her with
 Manchester.
 A work
 suggested and accomplished
 by individual enterprise and energy
 and perseverance.
 For many years
 He represented Henrico
 in the
 General Assembly,
 and was elected by that body
 A Member
 of the
 Executive Council of State,
 But earthly pageant's have passed away,
 His mortal remains lies beneath this stone,
 His soul humbly offers itself to God.
 Reader
 pray thou
 with the widowed and the fatherless,
 that it may be mercifully accepted
 and graciously appointed to Seats of
 Bliss.

N. Sacred
 To the Memory of
 Mrs. ABIGAIL MAYO,*
 relict of the late

* Her maiden name was De Hart, and she was a native of Elizabethtown New Jersey.

Col. John Mayo,
of Belleville,
near Richmond, Virginia.

The remembrance of her
virtues, her strength of
mind and character, her
kindness and usefulness,
will ever be cherished by
her bereft children and
friends. She lived beloved
and respected, and died
sincerely deplored,
In the the 83rd year of
Her Age.

W. Obit. 2nd of October,
 Anno Domini 1843

S. Green be the turf above thee,
 Mother of our other days;
None knew thee, but to love thee,
None named thee, but to praise.

E. Nat. 14th of February,
 Anno Domini 1761.

We will conclude with the following inscription to the memory of two children of the late General Winfield Scott, who married a daughter of Col. John and Abigail Mayo, whose epitaphs precede this. The tomb is altar-shaped, with white marble slab and panelled slate sides, which, from the mouldering of the cement, are now falling away :

In Memory
of
Two lovely children,
JOHN MAYO SCOTT,
Born April 18th, 1819, Died Sept. 23rd, 1820,
Buried at Montpelier,
the seat of
Ex-President Madison ;
And
EDWARD WINFIELD SCOTT,
Born Mar. 23rd, 1823, died May 17th, 1827,
who lies
Beneath this tomb,
Sons of
Winfield and Maria Mayo Scott.
My soul melteth away
for very heaviness,
Comfort thou me, Oh, LORD !

K.—Note 13. *Isaac Winston* Though the origin of the Winston family in Virginia, is traditionally accepted by its members as rendered in the note, yet the following early mention of the name, which has come to the knowledge of the editor since the latter was penned, he deems it proper to offer here : He finds upon record in the Virginia Land Registry Office, grants of land to *William Winston*, the first, of date October 21st, 1687, and the last, 1706, numbering nearly 7,000 acres, and a grant of 1,079 acres in New Kent county, to *Anthony Winston*, dated October 24th, 1701.

Page 171, lines 11 and 12. The editor is now conclusively satisfied that *Isaac Winston*¹ had only two daughters, *Mary*

and Sarah, the former of whom was grand-mother of Mrs. Madison. He extracts the following from "The Paine Family Register," No. 1, Albany, N. Y., January 1st, 1857, edited by Henry D. Paine, M. D. :

"JOHN PAYNE was an English gentleman of affluence and education. He settled in Goochland county on James river, Va. He married *Anna Fleming*, grand-daughter of Sir Thomas Fleming, second son of the Earl of Wigdon, who came to this country in 1616, and settled in New Kent county, Va., where he lived and died.

JOHN PAYNE,* his son, married *Mary Coles*, of Hanover county, Va.

His children were: *William, Temple, Dolly, Lucy, Anna, Mary, John and Isaac.*

WILLIAM died unmarried.

DOLLY married JAMES Madison, 4th President of the United States.

LUCY married 1st, *G. Washington*; 2d, *Hon. T. Todd*, one of the Judges of the Supreme Court of the United States.

ANNA† married *Hon. Richard Cutts*, M. C. from Maine.

MARY married *Hon. J. J. Jackson*, M. C. from Virginia.

JOHN married *Miss Wilcox*, of Canada.

ISAAC died unmarried.

L.—Page 186, line 9. Another private Cemetery has since come to the knowledge of the editor. It is located on the north side of Lester street, between Nicholson and Louisiana

* John Payne was of the religious tenets of the Society of Friends, and acted for a number of years as Clerk at their "Yearly Meetings" held in Hanover county. His penmanship, specimens of which are in the possession of the editor, was of great beauty, regularity and minuteness. It would thus appear that the marked and graceful caligraphy of Mrs. Madison was hereditary.

streets. It contains several monuments of white marble, one of which, erected to the memory of John Prosser, who died Oct. 25th, 1810, in his 38th year, is quite handsome. It is a plinth, some four feet in height, surmounted by an urn. The only remaining name appearing, is that of Wright, and the latest inscription bears date, 1821.

† "A sister of Mrs. Madison, and every way worthy of the same parentage."
[John Quincy Adams.]



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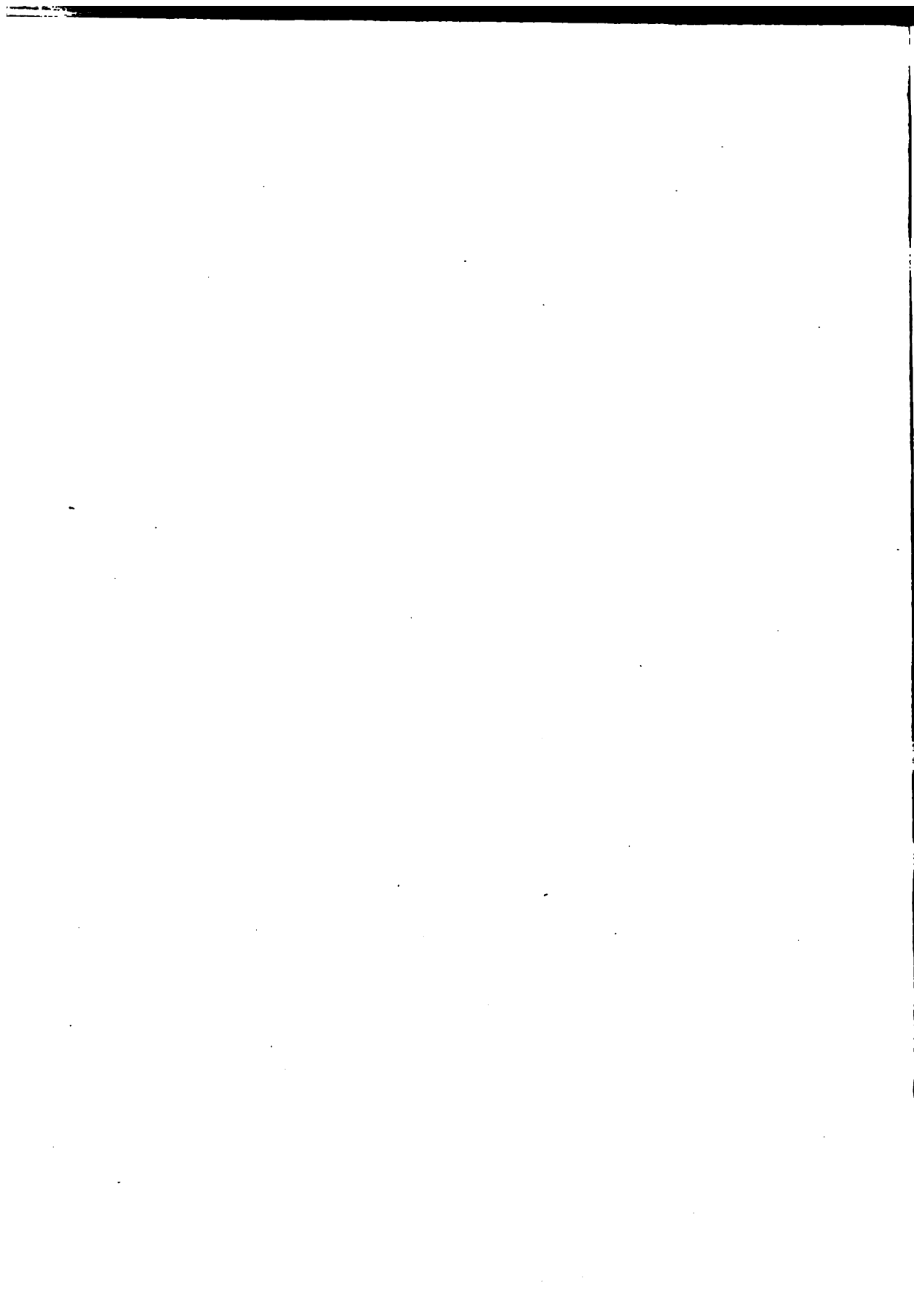
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